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Good Luck On Exams. Happy Vacation

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Sophomores To Present Benefit "Star-Dusting"

Starlight Manor is the scene of with Sophomore Class show, "Star-Dusting," which will be given this Priday, May 19, at 8:00 P. M. in Monroe auditorium.

Monroe auditorium.

According to the class vice-pres.,
Mary Stuelcken, Starlight Manor is
the perfect place to spend a summer vacation. A great deal of hidden talent is to be found among
the retired actors at the resort.
There is service in a musical mood, with tap-dancing bellhops and sing-ing waiters and washerwomen.

ing waiters and washerwomen.

The original songs by Lou Fox
will highlight the show. They include "I Miss Broadway," "We're
Gonna Have a Party," and the
Finaie. Credit for costuming goes to Althea School, while Dot Cuneo is doing the make up. Virginia Crim and Betty Holzshu are in charge of publicity.

Maddox To Attend Training School

Phyllis Maddox, M. W.C. Y president for next year, will attend the Leadership Training School for Y presidents at the University of Chicago this summer. The school lasts for five weeks, beginning June 19 and continuing until July 28.

The courses offered are "Introduction to Christian Faith," "Introduction to Social Ethics," an "Leadership in the Student Chris-tian Movement." Carefully se-lected faculty members deal with the fundamental Christian faith the fundamental Christian and ethics for modern life, Students attending will live, study, work and play as a unit, and will have all the advantages of metropolitan and university life.

Former Professor To Attend Exercises

Of interest to the seniors is the news that Mr. Sam Ruff, former English professor at Mary Washington, will attend the graduation exercises. Mr. Ruff is returning to the U.S. for a two months vaction stein stein which he will set the series of the series cation, after which he will go to Lebanon. He is employed by the State Department and has seen service in both Africa and Munich. Germany.

Mary Washington **Band Wins First** Place At Rally

Mary Washington's band Mary Washington's band won first place in their grouping at the fourteenth National School Safety Patrol Parade held Saturday, May 13, in Washington, D. C. The par-ade, with 40 bands, took three

13, in Washington, D. C. The parade, with 40 bands, took three hours and 18 minutes to pass the reviewing stand.
M. W. C., marching under the classification of group number four, or college bands, was representing the state of Ohio, as Ohio is too far away to send their own hand. The rally which is sponsored.

is too far away to send their own band. The rally which is sponsored annually by the American Auto-mobile Association had representa-tives present from 21 states. 1 M. W. C. gets \$100 for first place from A. A. A. and \$250 from Ohio for representing the state. This money will go into the band fund. Ohio has asked Mary Washing-ton to be their representative

Ohio has asked Mary Washing-ton to be their representative again next year. The M.W.C. band took off first place honors last year as well as this year. The band members attended a banquet at the Hotel Annapolis after the parade.

To Be Presented

THE SLEEPING PRINCESS, & ballet in three acts, will be presented by the Sebethy School of Dance Arts on Friday, May 19 8:00 P. M., in the James Monroe High School Auditorium.

Featured as the Princess Aurora in this traditional fantasy will be Anne Wilson, of Fredericksburg, and as Prince Florimund, Eddie Tompkins, a student at Mary Washington College. Other Mary Washington College students wh will take part in the ballet are Jack Lambert, as a Suitor of the Princess, Betty Payne, as The Cameiia Fairy, Jean Williams, as the Princess Florisse in the Bluebird Variation with Walter A Stroud of Washington, and Doris Harless, as the Queen. Jane Black, daughter of Dr. Zoe Black of the daughter of Dr. Zoe Black of the Mary Washington College faculty, will dance as the Lilac Fairy. Stu-dents of ballet from Fredericks-

dents of ballet from Fredericks-burg, Culpepper, Spotsylvania, and Bowling Green complete the cast. Frior to the presentation of the ballet, a brief program of novelty tap and soft-shoe numbers will be given

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Mrs. Sebethy extends a special invitation to Mary Washington College students to attend this performance. Permission to go has been given by Mrs. Bushnell. This will not be counted as a night in Lown. Tickets at the student rate of 50c can be purchased from Nancy Trice, 105 Westmoreland.

Choir To Give Convo Concert

The last convocation of the year

The last convocation of the year will be given by the choir tomorrow night under the direction of Miss Eva Taylor Eppes, head of the music department.

The program of both sacred and secular choral works will feature, as soloists, Toni Patelos, president of the choir, Nancy McLeod, and Mr. Ciyde Carter.

On Sunday evening, May 21, the choir will give a concert of sacred number of Randoinh-Magoon College,

choir will give a concert of sacred nusic at Randoiph-Macon College, when the soloists will include Mary Byrd Tignor, Sandra Chastang, Jimmle Rivers, Nancy McLeod, and Tony Patelos.

Notice

This is the last issue of the Buliet for the year, and if there are any organizations on the Hill whose officers for the next year have not been announced, it will be greatly appreciated if the new presidents will give the lists of officers either to Mrs. Russell or Mr. Brooks. Seniors: This is your last week for checking your personnel for checking your personnel cards in Mr. Brooks' office.

Mrs. Russell would appreciate the seniors' seeing her in person before graduation concerning job applications instead of waiting and writing her this sumer. Also, she would like the seniors to notify her as soon as they are placed in jobs after graduation. Mrs. Russell would appreciate

Important!!!

All new Bullet staff members including reporters and circulation, are invited to come to 109 Westmoreland Tuesday, May 16, at 5, for a short social-

Dean Wilson Will Give Commencement Address

Alpha Psi Omega To Present Award

Aipha Psi Omega, national honrary dramatic fraternity, is estabiishing an award to be presented the outstanding senior dramatics major who has contributed most to the college theater, the fraternity, and the college.

The recipient of the award, which will be given on Class Day, wiii be chosen on the basis of he eadership, scholarship, and by the vote of the members of the fraternity. It is as yet undecided as to what the award will be.

Students Accepted To Do Honors Work

The foilowing giris have bee accepted by the Departmental committees to do Honors Work next year in their various fields: Jane Millar, English; Sue Swyers, Benglish; Bitsy Clark, Biology; Barbara Baute, Biology; Jo Downs, Biology; Donna Hankla, Music; Jo Wilson, Latin; and Joan Hewiett. Philosophy.

Spur' Dedicated To Senior Class

The June issue of The Spur is dedicated to the graduating class of Mary Washington. Miss Doro-thy Duggan, M. W. C. faculty mem-ber, contributed the cover. Copies ber, contributed the cover. Copies of this issue are available for the friends and relatives attending the commencement exercises.

Cap and Gown Girls **Guide Historic Tours**

The new members of Cap and Gown acted as guides for a tour of historic Fredericksburg last week. Dean Alvey was Chairman week. Dean Alvey was Chairman of this project, sponsored by the Fredericksburg Chamber of Com-merce to acquaint high school seniors in this area with local shrines and places of historic in-terest. Eleven high schools sent 350 students to make the tour.

Chapman Represents Off Campus Girls On SGA

Eddie Kay Chapman has been chosen off campus Student Government Representative, and the new Off-campus cabinet has been selected by the retiring cabinet.

The representatives chosen ar Gretchen Anderson, Eddie Brazell, Mary Lou Kirkendall, Eleanor Ann Michelet, Madelaine Quesenberry, Jo Sidney Riddle, Claire Sims, and Dorothy Stultz.

Allen To Represent Pi Gamma Mu At W. H. Conference

Mr. Philip J. Allen, sociology professor at Mary Washington, has been invited to attend the Midcentury White House Conference on Children and Youth as the representative of Pi Gamma Mu, the National Social Science Fraternity. This conference, which will be held in December, was discussed and explained by Miss Elima Phillison last week in Chapel.

As the school year of 195**0** draws to a close, M.W.C. seniors announce plans for graduation weekend.

to a close, M.W.C. seniors announce plans for graduation weekend. The highlight of the weekend will be the commencement exercises on Monday, June 5th. One hundred ninety-four candidates for Bachelor of Arts and thirty for. Bachelor of Science degrees in the class of 1960 will assemble in cap and gown in George Washington auditorium where Dr. David C. Wilson, dean of Hampden-Sydney College, will make his address. Dr. Wilson received his A. B. and A. M. degrees at Princeton University and his Ph.D. at the University of Michigan. He is a member of the Virginia Classical Association, has taught Greek and Latin in several high schools and colleges throughout the country, and is a members of Omicron Delta, Kappa.

Sermon To Be Delivered

The Baccalaureate sermon, to be delivered Sunday, June 4th, will be another highlight of the week-end's activities. Rev. Henry Wade end's activities. Rev. Henry Wade DuBose, D. D., president of the General Assembly's Training School for Lay Workers at Richmond, will deliver the sermon at 11:00 A. M. After receiving his B. A. at Vanderbilt University, Dr. DuBose received the bachelor of divinity degrees from the Louisville Presbyterian Ceminary. He is a member of Phi Beat Kappa and has had an honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity bestowed upon him by Southwestern University at Memphis, Tennessee.

Class Day is another high point

sity at Memphis, Tennessee.

Class Day is another high point of the weekend. It will take place at 11:00 A. M., Saturday, June 3rd, in the amphitheatre. A welcome speech by Marceline Weatherly will open the program. Following this will come the presentation of awards, the class gift to the school, the class history and prophecy, and the farewell speech for the class by B. J. Lyle.

Senior Dance

Another important event of the weekend will be the Senior Dance. It will be held at 9:00 P. M. on Saturday, June 3rd, on the George Washington Roof Garden for seniors, their dates, and their families. The steeting committee for the dance is composed of Marceline Weatherly, chairman; Jeanne Sommers; Jean Melvin; Lois Ann White, decorations chairman; Miritam Soliows, programs and invitations chairman; and Jane Davis, chairman of photographs.

Still other activities are sched-

chairman of photographs.

Still other activities are scheduled for the weekend. The senior picnic will be held in Westmore-land Park on June 2. The senior class production will be presented the night of the 2nd, with Jeanne Sommers in charge. It will be a glimpse into the past of the class. On Saturday, June 3rd, President Combs will entertain the seniors at a garden party at Brompton. at a garden party at Brompton.
The Y. W. C. A. will give a tea
in the seniors' honor on Sunday, in the seni

M. W. C. Faculty Read Papers

Two Mary Washington faculty members gave papers at the an-nual meeting of the Virginia Academy of Science held May 12 in Roanoke.

roanoke.

Dr. Zoe Black of the Biology
Department spoke on "Cytology
of the Eosinophil of Lumbricus
Terrestris."

Mr. G. P. Burns of the Physics
Department spoke on "Efficiency
of Thermoelectric Process."

The Guardsman Stars Denecke and Warfield

By FRANCES GLASS

The Mary Washington College Theatre closed its season with the presentation of Molnar's comedy. The Guardsman on May 12 and 13. Norma Denecke and Jack War-field played the starring roles of the actress and the actor.

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Come Up To Standards of Excellence

The performance, which went off without a flaw, came up to the standard of excellence that the College Theatre has set up. It is a delightful play and the able cast gave it all they had. The cast was well chosen for the witty, sophisicated comedy. The plot revolves around the marital problems of the overly emotional, sometimes superficial, actress and actor. The actor disguises himself as a member of the Russian Imperial Guard in order to test the fidelity of his wife.

Dencke Gave Brilliant

Performance

Performance

Norma Denecke, who is remembered for her portrayal of Sylvia in The Women, gave another brill-

in The Women, gave another brilliant performances. She has talent and will obviously go a long way in the world of the theatre.

The part of the actor and the Guardsman seems to have been cut out for Jack Warfield. It is the type of role that he plays so well, similar to his well-remembered role in Foolish Notion last year. Whenever we see Mr. Warfield on whenever we see Mr. Warfield on last year.

the stage we realize how lucky we are to have such an able and tal-ented director—as well as such a very good actor.

Mary Hardwick Appears As
"Mama"

"Mama"

Mary Hardwick gave her last performance at Mary Washington in the role of "Mama." Despite the red wig and the change in her role, it didn't take the audience long to realize that she was the same Mary. She played the part weil, but it seems that the part itself imitted her wonderful stage personality. The student body will miss her in the College Theatre productions for next year. The supporting cast consisted of Jean Sprower, Levin Houston III, Carolyn Bowers, and Helen Chiles.

Chiles.
College Theatre Closes Successful
Year
With the presentation of The
Guardsman the College Theatre
closes a very successful year. The
two previous productions were The
Women by Clare Booth Luce and
Doll's House by Ibsen. Although all
three performances have been suc-

Farewell Seniors! We'll Miss You

In these few short weeks remaining before the class of In these lew short weeks remaining before the class of 1950 takes its place in the alumnae files, we, the underclassmen have been thinking about the important place you, the Seniors, have played in our campus life, as well as in our personal lives.

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Last week was Senior Day, your day. We, the underclassmen, hope that you enjoyed it as much as we did. As we mopped your floors, served you breakfast in bed, carried your laundry, and made your beds, we couldn't help but think how many good times we have had together. Then when we saw your skit we appreciated fully how talented a class you are. It was really great!

As we look back over this past year, we recall the many services you have rendered to us, the student body. As Seniors, you furnished leadership for our organizations and counseling for the Freshmen. Your school participation was further shown in your benefit and in your talented portrayals in the Mary Washington College Theater productions.

A Goat victory after so many years of Devil triumphs was largely due to your enthusiasm and determination to win. We, your fellow students, feel certain that you will carry that enthusiasm and determination to win with you as you leave Mary Washington to enter the competitive life of the outside world.

We wish you all the luck in the world. We are registed.

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outside world.

We wish you all the luck in the world. We are going to miss you next year, but we know that you will be achieving recognition for M. W. C. by accomplishing something in your chosen fields. Let us know how you are getting along by writing letters to the Bullet. And always remember, class of 1950, we'll be looking forward to that "Future Edition."

—R. DeM.

The Bullet wishes to congratulate the Battlefield staff and its editor, Leora (Nehi) Knapp, and business manager, Elizabeth (Bunny) Bunnell for the splendid annual.

Last week the Bullet suggested having Interclub Council. We are pleased that the suggestion has been considered and acted upon to the extent that club presidents met last week and are planning a second meeting. The Bullet wishes this group success and promises to cooperate in every way possible to bring about that success.

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

9:00-11:00	Classes meeting	8:30, M. W. F
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CALENDAR

Tuesday, May 16, Chapel-dent Government.

Wednesday, May 17, Convocation

—Choir under the direction of Miss Eppes. lay, May 19, Chapel—Student

Friday, Fricay, May 19, Chapel—Student recital of pupils of Miss Eppes; "Stardusting", sophomore benefit, Monroe auditorium 8:00 P. M. Saturday, May 20, Movie, "Wizard of Oz," G. W. auditorium; in-formal dance, little roof gar-

day, May 23, Chapel—Alpha Phi Sigma. Saturday, May 27-June 27-

exams.
Friday, June 2, Senior Class picnic,
8:00 A. M., Westmoreland
Park; Senior Class Production,
8:30 P. M., Amphitheater.
Saturday, June 3, Class Day, amphitheater at 11:00 A. M.; garden party for seniors at
Brompton, 10 A. M.; Senior
Dance on the G. W. roof garden at 9:00 P. M.
Sunday, June 4, Baccalaureate sermon. 11:00 A. M. in G. W.

Sunday, June 4, Baccalaureate ser-mon, 11:00 A. M. in G. W. auditorium; Y. W. C. A. tea for seniors at 4:00 P. M.; De-votions, East Lawn of Mon-roe Hall at 7:00 P. M. Monday, June 5, Graduation 11:00 in G. W. auditorium.

Now that this year is swiftly Now that this year is swiftly drawing to a close on its little cat feet, the recurring situation arises in regard to students who do not plan to return to Mary Washington. It is often interesting to hear the various reasons that prompt a student either to transfer or withdraw permanently; therefore, I decided to take my tape recorder in hand and pay a visit to two MWCer's who, as of this May, will no longer be MWCer's. The tape recorder was used for the purpose of recording the students' statements accurately so that when the time came to write KOLLUM, there would be no libel suits. And now for the interviews exactly as they were recorded yesterday. The first interviewee is at present a junior who is not planning to return her senior year. Interviewe: Paral Hogswaller. awing to a close on its little car

Interviewer: Your name please. Interviewee: Pearl Hogswaller. Interviewer: Well, Pearl, you seem to have been so active in school activities these past three years that it came as a surprise years that it came as a surprise to all of us on hearing that you were planning to transfer. Do you mind telling us your reasons.

Pearl: Not at all. I cain't git what I'm lookin' fer here.

Interviewer: Well, where are you planning to transfer?

Pearl: Elikshorn Institute of Entomology.

tomology

Interviewer: I see. You plan to be an Entomologist? Pearl: Yup. I've always had a lovin' fer li'l bugs. In the Ozarks,

you see all types.
Interviewer: You're from the Ozarks,
Ozarks?
Pearl: Yup, which means I king it home ever now and then.
Interviewer: And here they have

no courses pertaining to Entomo-

Pearl: Nope, and bugs is my life.

Interviewer: Well, in that case you should transfer; however, you'll be missed by all of us, Pearl. Pearl: W'all I'll shore miss you all tew, but my bugs is a'callin'

me.

Interviewer: And where your bugs go, you go. Well good luck Pearl and may your path throughout life lead you to success.

Pearl: Gee, them shore air purty words. They almost make me cry. I'll try and git back fer the senior benefit next year.

Interviewer: We hope to see you there too, Pearl, and thank you for the interview.

(Our second interview was with Daisy van Holstein from Swamp-

Daisy van Holstein from Swamp-ville, Miss. Thinking it would be interesting to get a true Southern-er's opinion of the school and her Cartoo



Study, but don't go overboard to get that mortarboard!

reasons for leaving, she was ask-ed for an interview. The recorder has it as following:) Interviewer: It was nice of you,

Interviewer: It was mee or you, Daisy, to take time to be interviewed like this.

Daisy: Why ah didn't mind at all. It's man pleasure to be sho'.

Interviewer: Is. it true that you're not planning to return here laret year.

Daisy: That's right. Ah've thought about it and have decided that it's the only thing ah can do.
Interviewer: What seems to be
the reason for your decision?
Daisy: There's no swamp heah.

Daisy: There's no swamp heah. Interviewer: I beg your pardon? Daisy: You see, ah've got to be eah a swamp. Interviewer: But why? Daisy: This heah clear sunshiny

weathuh gives me a skin rash but the minute ah gits to Black Moc-casin Swamp which surrounds man home town, this heah rash goes

away.

Interviewer: Then the only time
you don't have a rash is when
you're in Swampville.

Daisy: That's right, so naturally
ah got to go home to mah swamp.

Interviewer: Well, Daisy, it's a
shame that you have a skin rash
every time you're away from every time you're away fr (ugh!) Black Moccasin Swamp. from

Daisy: Well, ah miss it anyway o it's a good excuse to get back

neah, Interviewer: Well, be sure and

Interviewer: well, be sure and tell all the (ugh) moccasins "hello" for me, heh, heh.
Daisy: Ah sho' will, honey chile, and may God bless yo'.
Interviewer: Thank you Daisy.

same to you.

same to you.

And thus concludes our interviews. We'll miss both girls, but at least you readers know now that often times reasons for transfering can be quite legitimate. And may all the students who do plan

EXCHANGE COLUMN

On April 25 Mr. Orville W. Wake was inaugurated as the sixth president of Lynchburg College. This was one of the most eventful days of this century for Lynchburg College. Sealburger, the U. Va. mascot, repeated his former record by taking two first places in a local dog show. Sealburger was bedecked in orange and blue ribbon and was wearing his football season blanket.

The annual Virginia Music Fes-

The annual Virginia Music Fes-tival was held last weekend at Scott Stadium in Charlottesville. A survey at Randolph-Macon college shows that thirty seniors out of one hundred and twenty-three have obtained jobs. Forty-three members of this graduating class are planning to attend gradu-ate school.

Pi Gamma Mu Holds Banquet

Holds Banquet
M. W. C.'s chapter of Pl Gamma Mu, Social Science Fraternity, held a joint banquet with Randolph-Macon Men's College at the Princess Anne Hotel on May 11.
The guest speaker of the evening was Mr. Wendell Lewis, Professor of Economics at Randolph-Macon. He told the 43 guests present about his life in the International House in New York and his visits to the N. N. meetings.

to return have a pleasant summer (not that I'm wishing those who don't an unpleasant one) and when you do return next fall, be sure and buy a Bullet now and then. No telling what you might run across! See you all next fall

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Did you miss chapel Friday? Are you one of the lucky few who had a cut left and used it? If so, you missed the big chance. The chance to make an addition to your family. But it's not too late for you to add a little sister to your collection. Use a little footwork and drop over to see Jane Allen in Willard 114 and sign up for all the fun being a big sister can bring. You'll relieve the fun of your Freshman days with the Kid Party. Big and Little Sister Church Day, and all the rest of the excitement plus an extra correspondent this summer and the thrill of being a consultant come fall. Did you miss chapel Friday?

Don't let the Frosh down. Sign up and be a Big Sister today.

There are now twenty pieces of furniture in the Y room instead of the usual nineteen. The stead of the usual nineteen. The extra piece comes in the form of a portable typewriter and was received by Y with open arms. Thanks to Marion Jenkins, the donator. The addition will be kept busy next semester with Y reports, rolls, and other official business. It's so nice to have a portable around the house!

MORE ON LOYALTY Plans are still in progres MORE ON LOYALTY
Plans are still in progress for
the new week to bolster school
synchrit. A.R.A., Student Government, and Y. are toying with a
few more ideas on the subject.
First, Loyalty week may be shortened to one day ending in the
grand convo, September 27. Second, the following Friday night
may find the Amphitheatre alight
with good cheer and blazing with
song as the three organizations as the three organizations song as the three organizations stage a huge pep raily, complete with band and fun. Third, the new plan may omit the daily skits which have come to be a part in the Loyalty Week proceedings and replace them with other doings, equally as much fun. The ideas are flying thick and fast on this new program and soon it will be ut to the test in a Student Body

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WORE MUCH JEWELRY, AND TOOK 20 KINDS OF MONE ON THEIR "GRAND TOURS

CLUB ACTIVITIES

SPANISH CLUB ELECTS

The Spanish Club recently elected officers for the coming year. They are: Judy Mack, president; Anne Taylor, vice-president, Mary Tremaine, secretary; Louise Ash, treasurer; and Betty Brice, program chairman. The club sponsor is Dr. Cabrera. The new officers were installed at the May 15 meeting. At the same time the Spanish Club Orchestra curetained the group with

same time the spanish cult or-chestra cutertained the group with a selection of Spanish songs. Members of the orchestra are: Mary Tremaine, conductor; Betty Bricc, Pat Moss, Willie Parsons, Nancy McLeod, Margaret Menzies, Pat Line, and Carmen Zeppen-

feldt.

Last Thursday the club sponsored a technicolor movie, An Evening in Spain, shown in Monroe Auditorium. The club is also planning to invite speakers from the Pan American Union to appear at next year's meetings.

IRC Elects Officers

At the last meeting of the International Relations Club new of ternational Relations Club new-officers were elected for the coming year. They are: Harriette
Seely, president; Jean Huntington,
vice-president; Nancy Holladay,
secretary; and Marjorie Erickson.
treasurer. Plans are discussed for
the club's activities next year.
The meeting was adjourned with
a farewell speech by the retiring
president, Nan Riley.

All members of the International Relations Club and prospective
members are urged to contact the
new officers regarding plans for
next year.

Members Honored; Officers Elected

The new members of Cap and Gown, honorary society, were guests of honor at a breakfast given them by the old members at the Stratford Hotel on Wednesday, the Stratford Hotel on Wednesday, May 10. A short business meeting followed, at which time the 1950-51 officers were elected. They are Jane Gregg, president; Dot Belden, vice president; Blanche Schiller, secretary; and Nancy Leonard, treasurer. On Friday, May 12, the members served as guides to a group of high

served as guides to a group of high school students who toured Fred-ericksburg and visited the college.

AT MARIE ANTOINETTE'S

VACATIONS AT THE PETITE TRIANON, GUESTS WORE FORTUNES IN JEWELS... LAVISH SUPPER TABLES
ROSE MECHANICALLY

FROM THE FLOOR

Roots of Culture THEN and NOW VACATIONS

FRENCH CLUB HOLDS RECEPTION

Lc Cercle Francais of Mary Washington College recently held a reception in the Dome Room of Seacobook Hall. This event proved to be one of the outstanding projects sponsored by the club this jects sponsored by the club this year. Receiving the members of Le Cercle Francais and guests from the Department of Romance Languages were Betty Harpine, president; Barbara Cable, vice-president; Mrs. Brawner Bolling, sponsor; Dorothy Gravatt, secretary; and Annette Webb, Treasurer. The refreshment table was adorned with arrangements of spring flowers, and the fleurs de lismotif was carried out in the party played baseball, hiked, or sang.

Languages were Betty Harpine,
president; Barbara Cable, vicepresident; Mrs. Brawner Bolling,
sponsor; Dorothy Gravatt, secretary; and Annette Webb, Treasurer. The refreshment table was
adorned with arrangements of
spring flowers, and the fleurs de lis
motif was carried out in the party
mints and the tiny cakes, which

were included among the refresh- Contest Stages ments. Those who called during the appointed hours were enter-tained by Dr. Milton Stansbury, who played a variety of selections

CANTERBURY ACTIVITIES

The Canterbury Club held its annual picnic recently at Battle-field Park. After a supper of hot dogs and marshmallows the girls played baseball, hiked, or sang.

Model Search

Jon Whitcomb, magazine illustrator, is conducting a contest in search of four girls to be models for his illustrations.

The winners will receive an all-expense-paid week trip to New York, modeling fees of \$100 a day for three days, \$100 for incidental expenditures, and the original of the Whitcomb painting.

the Whitcomb painting.

Application blanks may be obtained in jewelry stores and must be accompanied by a picture. The entrants will be judged by a board of judges and Jon Whitcomb on the basis of natural charm and attractiveness, and the winners will be announced in July.

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RADIO SPEAKS

By N. W.

This year marks the seventh an-This year marks the seventh an-niversary of the establishment of WMWC at Mary Washington Col-lege. Throughout these years, the radio station has provided training in all phases of radio for many in-terested students, and it has served its listeners with programs of contentiument, and application. of entertainment and enlightch-ment. From WMWC's control room to other stations and agen-cies have gone WMC graduates. These graduates who have gone into the radio field have probably informed their employers at one time or another that they had had experience working with an Intercollegiate Broadcasting System station while at Mary Washing-

What is IBS and what scrvice What is IBS and what scruices does it offer? The Intercollegiate Broadcasting System, with which WMWC became affiliated five years ago, was established in 1940, and is an association of college campus broadcasting stations located throughout the country. The system has grown to include 73 stations from coast to coast (as of February, 1950) with combined student staffs of about three thousand students, Many of these people enter the broadcasting industry each year.

IBS was established for the purpose of pooling the resources of college stations in order to en-courage and further the developcourage and further the develop-ment of college radio in this coun-try. It is a non-profit organiza-tion with all executives serving as non-salaried volunteers, controlled entirely by the campus stations and financed through their annual dues. The administrative person-nel of IBS includes undergradu-ate members faculty advisers and ate members, faculty advisers, and alumni of stations within the sys-tem. The Board of Directors con-sists of a number of persons wellknown in broadcasting and educational circles.

Among the services which IBS offers to its affiliates are: maintenance of transcription and script libraries, distribution of technical information and ASCAP lists, and the publication of bulletins, news-

the publication of bulletins, news-letters, and handbooks on various aspects of radio.

Such is the affiliation of our own WMWC. Our station limits its broadcasting to dormitories, as is true with all other IES stations which also extend signals to fraternity and sorority nouses.
WMWC broadcasts on 590 kc, and
transmits now with a newly-installed 100-watt transmitter. Opand sorority houses erations this year have been un-der the direction of Nancy Stacey as Station Manager, assisted by Anne McClerkin, Program Manager and newly-elected Station Manager for 1950-51; Martha Carr, Chief Engineer; Chichi Thompson, Continuity Director; Sarah Miles Production Manager; Ruth Stess,

Production Manager; Ruth Stess, Record Librarian; Helen Chiles, Artist Bureau Director; and Nat Wilton, Publicity Director. During the summer Chichi will be attending the TV Radio Work-shop at New York University. Shirley Cole, a senior music major, enters the TV field in August at WOIC as Assistant Public Relations director of CBS television for the District of Columbia. The Mike Club and staff have

not by any means been idle this year. Besides "programming" our station for four days a week, and writing and producing weekly Sat-urday shows over the local Fredurday shows over the local Fredericksburg station, an American
Broadcasting System affiliate,
members have managed to gain
first-hand information by touring
various radio and TV centers in
Washington. The opportunity to
obtain a 3rd Class radiotelephony
(operator's) license presented itself to radio enthusiasts on the
campus this spring. The WMC
Record Sale is being sponsored by
the Mike Club, and to date, 286
students have requested copies of
this record which is now being
pressed in Hollywood and will be
returned to us later this month.
Staff members of WMWC are still



WMWC Staff - 1949-50

Left to right: Chichi Thompson, Continuity Director; Nancy Stacey, Station Manager; Sarah Miles, Production Manager; Ruth Stees, Record Librarian; Anne McClertchin, Program Manager; Helen Chiles, Artist Bureau Director; Nat Wilton, Publicity Director; Martha Carr, Chief Engineer; In Iront: Mrs. Mildred B. Sollenberger, Director of Radioe.

Ida And Wallace Tell How College Has Grown

There are no two figures There are no two lightes on our campus who are as much a tradition of the college as our own Ida and Wallace. No one who has been here for even the shortest length of time can leave without becoming acquainted with these persons, who are brother and

Ida has been here, in Virginia Hall, for 27 years and, in her own words, "will be here for 27 more if I live." When she became more if I live." When she became employed at the college there were only three buildings on campus—Monroe Hall, Willard and Virginia, in the order in which they were built. They were quite different then from what they are now.

College has Grown

In Willard was the dining hall, the laundry infiguracy and some

In whilard was the duning han, the laundry, infirmary, and some dormitory rooms. The library, offices, and parlors were in Virginia and Mrs. Bushnell's office and apartment were on second floor. Some student rooms were on this floor, also, and more on third. At this time Virginia was only about a third as large as it now. It was first erected in 1914,

now. It was first erected in 1914, the second unit was added in 1926, and completed in 1934.

The enrollment of the college can be described as just as large "as a big family." Then the students lived all four years in one dormitory and now, as Ida says, "I no sooner get to know them than they leave me."

"I no sooner get to know them than they leave me."

G. W. Fillar

Wallace, who is the pillar of George Washington Hall, has been connected with the college for 32 years. Until 1939, when he became head janitor at G. W., he drove a school bus for the college. Now his job is to "open and close" the administration build-

making individual records for any one who wants anything recorded.
These blank records are available
in the C Shoppe at a cost of 75c,
and the cost of recording is 25c.
Probably the two most impor-

rroadily the two most impor-tant events at the studio this year have been the Madame Pandit Program of two weeks ago, and the UN Program of last October, both of which were picked up by WRNL in Richmond and tran-scribed for Voice of America in

the studio.

WMWC is well on its way to ward furthering the interests of the Intercollegiate Broadcasting System. It should primarily exist for the interest of, and entertainfor the interest of, and entertainment for you, the students, and it is sincerely hoped by the radio students of this year that 1950-51 will see a newly-organized, active campus radio station here at Mary Washington.

We thank you all for

We thank you all for "standing by,"

ing, deliver mail, and just see ing, deliver mail, and just see that everything is done "as it should be." Unlike Ida, he is thinking of retiring in two or three years, but it is certainly hard to visualize that building without this nice, polite old man moving about up there. At all the formal dances he is on hand, attired in his blue uniform, looking as he does in the new mural placed in G. W. only three weeks ago.

Everyone who has attended

Everyone who has attended M. W. C. and all who are here now will agree that these two people create some of the most pleasant memories of Mary Washistor. ington. Their kindness toward the students and their love for the college is shown by their deeds and is seen in their friendly faces.

If you want to make people be-lieve what they otherwise wouldn't, just whisper.

Junior saw a very unusual West-ern last Saturday—Instead of an Indian biting the dust, he goes out and bites another Indian.

Uncle Willie is broken hearted. c opened a hand laundry and ten discovered that most people wash their own hands.

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Advice Given To Ward Off Polio

The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, noting that polio is striking an increasing number of teen-agers and young adults, issued a message today calling for observance of simple health precautions by college students during the hot polio months just ahead. just ahead

Just ahead.

Dr. Hart E. Van Riper, medical director of the National Foundation, said that a spot survey of the 1948 polio epidemic showed 25 percent of the patients were over 15 years of age. Of this total, 18 percent were over 20 years. Local chapters have assisted hundreds of college-age polio patients during the past year.

"Only 3.7 percent of the patients were over 15 years of age in 1916, he said. "This figure rose to seven percent in 1941."

The National Foundation listed

in 1944."

The National Foundation listed five basic precautions for the Mayto-December epidemic danger season. Dr. Van Riper said they are
based on the March of Dimes
agency's extensive research program and the findings of health
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departments physiciars.

agency's extensive research program and the findings of health departments, physicians and hospital officials. These are the recommended precautions:

Recommendations Made Keep children with their own friends—Keep them away from persons they have not been with right along, especially in close, daily living. Dr. Van Riper said many persons have a pollo infections. many persons have a polio infec-tion without showing any signs of sickness, yet may pass it on to

others.

Try not to get over-tired—if you rive in your system, he have the virus in your system, he said, becoming exhausted may

have the virus in your system, he said, becoming exhausted may bring on serious polio symptoms. Dimes, will pay the cost of care Keep from getting chilled—Chilling also can lessen your protection, he said; don't bathe or swim too long in cold water and take off wet clothing quickly. Keep Clean—Wash hands carefully before eating and always to the polio infection into the after using the toilet. Hands may active the polio infection into the body through the mouth. Also keep without any crippling."

Freshmen Choose Teaching

New Brunswick, N. J .- (I. P.) New Brunswick, N. J.—(I. P.)— There shouldn't be a teacher-short-age by 1953, if the freshman class at New Jersey College for Women is any indication. According to a "future vocation" survey of fresh-men on this campus, teaching at-tracts over 35 per cent of the class of 379 students.

Of the 133 girls indicating that they plan to teach after preduc-

Or the 133 girls indicating that they plan to teach after gradua-tion, 55 did not specify which sub-jects they prefer; 15 indicated English; 13, music; 10, home eco-nomics; 6, mathematics; 4 each, of

dramatics and history.
Second career choice, favored by almost 16 per cent of the class, was journalism. Laboratory research and home economics rank almost equal as third choices

Tood clean and covered.

Watch for early signs of sickness.—Some of the symptoms listed are headache, sore throat, upset stomach, sore muscles, stiff neck and back, fever and trouble in swallowing or breathing. Persons coming down with polio may feel nervous, cross or dizzy.

What To Do About It
In the event polio does strike, these steps were recommended:

ese steps were recommended:

Call your doctor at once and ntii he comes, keep the patient uiet, in bed and away from

others.

If the diagnosis is polio, Dr.
Van Riper advised, the local chapter of the National Foundation for
Infantile Paralysis should be call-

Infantile Paralysis should be called.

"Polio is a very expensive disease to treat," he said, "but no
patient need go without care for
lack of funds. You pay what you
can afford and your chapter, supported by the annual March of
Dimes, will pay the cost of care
you cannot meet."

He warned that there is no



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Hubbel Writes Article

Miss Josephine Hubbel, a mem ber of the physical education de partment here at Mary Washing-ton, recently had an article pub-lished in the "Journal of Ameri-can Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation and Recreation." The selection is en-titled "Spin on Balls."

Averages Based On Credits Earned

Atlanta, Ga.—(I. P.)—Scholastic averages in colleges based upon credit hours scheduled are in general smaller than those based upon credit hours earned, according to Horace W. Sturgis, associate registrar at Georgia Institute of Technology. He declares that this difference is due to the fact that whenever a failing grade is recorded for a given course the number of hours scheduled has been increased, but the failing grade has contributed no quality points. ntributed no quality points.

Based on data derived from th Based on data derived from the records of 2,228 Georgia Tech students, Sturgis concludes that the selection of a scholastic average based upon credit hours earned, as a minimum requirement for graduation, is more in keeping with a system of grading, which defines the grade of "C" as the grade for "satisfactory" quality of work.

for "satisfactory" quality of work.

"A scholastic average," he says,
"based upon credit hours earned is
a measure of positive achievement
in a field of study and is not influenced negatively by a failure to
achieve above a given point, known
as passing. In other words, the
scholastic requirements for a degree may be based upon measures
of positive achievement without
the influence of some previous
negative achievements. Changing
the method of computing scholastic the method of computing scholastic averages does not necessitate any change in the scademic standards at an institution because standards established and maintained in

Typical (?) Morning Start Annapolis Week-End Report Announces

day; you don't mave to stay in the boring bed; you can go to class. Get up right now, and take advantage of your opportunity. Just think what fun you'll have, while I have to sit all day on the dresser in this dull dorm, ticking away the hours. Tick . . tock . . . tick tock! tock!

... tock!

Ah. ha! Don't close that eye again; playing possum will get you nowhere. I know you're awake, so you'll have to listen to me. Why sleep here in that hard old bed when you can be snoozing in a congenial Chandler classroom? With a seat on the front row you're in the perfect spot for a nap. Why, the best possible way to make an "A" in any subject is to let the professor know that he's accomplishing his objective. And everyone knows that any lecturer's main objective is to put his audience to sleep. If you waste all your sleeping power here you'll have no snoozes left for class.

That's it. Hop out of bed. Now ha! Don't close that eve

That's it. Hop out of bed. Now what are you going to the closet for? Surely you're not getting dressed. I saw Suzy across the dressed. I saw Suzy across the hall leaving for Chemistry in her pajamas, but since you spent the night in those blue jeans you might as well go in them. I know the teachers prefer pis, but I'm sure dungarees would do just as well. Put on a skirt and sweater and you'll spoil the entire picture. Imagine dressing for class. What a misfit you'd be without your alarm clock to advise you. Hey, put down that uncut fruit your swiped from the dining hall.

you swiped from the dining hall. I realize that I wasn't successful in getting you up for breakfast

tive rank of the individual studen the individual classrooms and lab-oratories."

Another important point brought out by the study is that the rela-

but I'm not going to have a spoiled appetite on your hands. Besides, didn't you tell me that your eightthirty professor always passed out coffee and doughnuts at the beginning of the period? I thought so! That's why I'm thankful you decided to bring us to this college; nothing starts the day off better than eating in class. Even if he doesn't come through this morning, you can buy a candy bar in the "C" shoppe. The smell of chocolate and the rattle of paper are two necessities for any lecturer's peace of mind. And since you're going that way you might as well take back those dishes. I saw you sneaking in with rolls and milk last night. No money for a candybar? Oh, borrow a nickel from one of the profs, they always from one of the profs, they always have plenty of loose change for anybody.

Don't reach for that Chesterfield Don't reach for that Unesterried. Will you ever learn to be economical? That cigarette has to last you all afternoon. Five minutes and you'll be in class where there are free cigarettes to burn. Who was it? . . . Oh, yes, Doctor X decided that the best way to keep stratcher from talking note was for cided that the best way to keep students from taking notes was to give them some other diversion. He made the school pass out free ciggyboos in every class to keep the girls occupied. Oh, you don't like his brand. Well, take that single cig with you and smoke it in a restful atmosphere rather than here in this hole.

than here in this hole.

Now what are you waiting for?
You're afraid of men! I suppose you'll just have to get used to having them in class after all these years. Personally I think it was a stupendous idea importing them from U. Va. to give you gals an incentive to work. They improve the second 100 feet. prove the scenery, too!

prove the scenery, too!

- Look at my face! I get a rather backwards view of the times but don't my hands point to eight-twenty-nine. Then, you'd better hurry or you'll miss part of the invigorating discussion and part of your sleep. Before you go . . . what's that in your hand? A book! How many times have I told you . . . teachers frown upon girls who bring books to class. Oh, it's your dime novel and you're going to read

dime novel and you're going to read it during French. O.K. No instructor would mind that. They always like you well pre-occupied with other things. That way you'll disagree with anything they have

Yes, you've got everything,— your knitting, your one cigarette, your novel. Yes, you look fine, I'm sure your dungarees will be the

best looking in class.

Now what? You've decided to cut like a foolish child. Since you Now what? You've decided to cut like a foolish child. Since you have to go to class at least one day a week. . . this is as good as any, as you're unprepared and unfed. No, get going. Goodbys. Boy, am I glad she's gone. The things an alarm clock has to do to get it's owner to class. I hope she doesn't get into trouble from my advice.

my advice

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Your three-hour bus ride is at last over. As the bus joggles into the cramped space called the bus station, you look panic strickenly out of the window into the haze of blue. Where is he? He said he'd meet the bus. He must be here! They all look alike! Finally one of the blobs of blue becomes clear, and he salutes you. You nervously begin together your various packages and bundles together (it's a shame your evening dress didn't fit in your suitcase). You straighten your seams and hastily comb your hair. The bus jerks to a sudden stop. You manage to struggle off the bus with your suitcase (no, you're not spending a week), and breathe a sigh of relief when he takes it (no, it doesn't weigh a ton). "Double time," he says, and as you hobble down King George Street (I told you not to wear heels on these sidewalks). Your week-end at Navyhas begun.

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Probably Stay in Quaint Home
He takes you to your room in
one of the "quaint" old houses
that are part of the town of Annapolis. You go to your room, hang
up your dress (may not have to
press it). You are speedy 'cause
you know that time waits for no
one, especially Navy time.

You're off again (not through 'Bilger's gate) to one of the many athletic events. From baseball (at one end of the yard) to lacross (at the other), to crew (about two miles away), and track (two miles back). Finally comes the informal at Smoke Hall. Sweet relief to sit down, or so you thought, for in a few minutes, there you are dancing, or doing the latest Navy rage, square dancing. The music slows down, and gets dreamy. A clang of bells interrupts your happy thoughts. "Rormation," yells someone. "6:30 already?" You are herded into the Reception room with all the other drags, and pass the time while the Navy checks back). Finally comes the informal the time while the Navy checks up on her sons. Soon he is back, dressed for the evening, which means he changed to a bow tie and white gloves.

white gloves.

Rush, Rush, Rush!

Back to your room, where you find that your roommate for the night has arrived. You help each other dress madly, while the boys call the minutes. You breathlessly run into the room. He smiles, "Don't clutch, stay loose, we've got lots of time!"

You rush over to one of the restaurants for a fast meal. "The crabs are always good." As soon as you finish eating, rush, rush rush to Dahlgren Hall for the hop The gym has miraculously beer transferred into a ball room. The bleachers are folded up, and the colored lights, with the Navy band, add a festive air. Between dances you have a cigarette in the smoker and some of the inevitable smoker and some or the inevitable cherry punch. All too soon, a lone trumpet plays the first few notes of Sleepytime Gal. A hush falls over the hall. Then Fil See You In My Dreams and Goodnight Sweetheart are followed by NAVY

Sweetheart are followed by NAVY BLUE AND GOLD, then the drums roll and every one stands at attention for The Star-Spangled Banner. The hop is over. Hop liberty begins. "Forty minutes, Gentlemen." So Many Men at Once On Sunday you go to Chapel. It is one of the most impressive sights to see the Brigade of Midshipmen march into the Chapel while the band is playing Onward Christian Soldiers. At the close of

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Princeton, N. J.—(LP.)—The development of new measures of aptitude and personality to aid in counseling, selection, and guidance are among the most promising current activities of testing research, Henry Chauncey, president of Educational Testing Service, stated in his first Annual Report, issued recently. cently.

There are three lines of advance There are times lines of advance that seem particularly promising, he declared. "The first is the de-velopment of an extensive battery of aptitude tests to aid in educa-tional and vocational counseling. The second is the development of The second is the development or measures of important aspects of personality which will help in selection and guidance. Even more important, they will focus greater attention in our educational system on personal qualities which have been largely subordinated to the intellectual. Finally, there is the development of effective measures, tests, rating scales, inventories, or other systems for measuring and recording observations of behavior, and of the fundamental objectives of education, objectives that are not related to particular courses or subjects, but which are com-mon to several or all of them.

"Each of these lines of advance is being explored at the present time and there is reasonable ex-pectation that useful instruments will be devised which can be made generally available within the next three to ten years. It may be worth while to comment briefly on each

while to comment briefly on each of the three areas of investigation.
"Just before, during, and since the war numerous factor-analysis studies of aptitude and other tests were made. The design and technique of these studies is aimed at getting at the independent factors involved in mental activity or in some aspect of it. During the past year, Dr. J. W. French has collected the sixty-odd such studies that have been reported, for the purpose of providing a basis for further advance by the ETS Research Department and other researchers over the country.

partment and other researchers over the country.

"The preliminary draft of this report has been distributed to those known to be interested in this work. The final report is to be issued as a Psychometric Monoissued as a Fsychometric Mono-graph. Some factors seem to be fairly well established, others are in the probable category, and still other areas are clearly in need of other areas are clearly in need of further research. A staff commit-tee is in process of designing and constructing an experimental bat-tery of tests covering fifteen fac-tors. It has also delimited seven areas for special studies. Within three years the experimental bat-tery should be refined sufficiently to make it available for general use. This battery will then be re-vised periodically on the basis of subsequent research. gulhae ent research

vised periodically of the basis of subsequent research.

"The personality area is, at the present time, far leas structured. There is nothing approaching unanimity regarding the aspects of personality which are of greatest significance. But out of the notable work that has been done in recent years in psychology, anthropology, and sociology, there are a number of promising hypotheses that are worth testing, and it is only by (Continued on page 8)

the service, the Midshipmen Choir sings, as the benediction, the Navy hymn, Eternal Father, Strong To nymn, Eternal Fainer, Strong 10 Save. The boys leave Chapel, form, and are dismissed. You have a few minutes together before he is off again to the stirring noon meal formation, complete with drum and

formation, complete was a substitute of the state of the

salling in one of the yawls or knockabouts, a movie, or maybe a picnic and cross-country hike. Before it seems possible, you find yourself boarding the bus in the same small bus sation. "Bye bye," same smail out sauton. Bye bye, he says, and salutes you as the bus turns the corner. With dreams of the next weekend to come, you smile sadly on your way back to school. Ah, the life of Navy Techl



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» Personality of the Week »

of me, I couldn't find a "personality" at all this week. So, I think
I'll give out with some good ole
inside dope on a place we hate
when we're sick, but love when we
have tests for which we haven't
studied—the infirmary.

This noble establishment boasts a staff of five (at least that was correct last week) which includes correct last week) which includes Dr. Whitticar and four nurses. The best way to tell you about this is to let you live it yourself. No, I don't mean go out and grab your-self a cold, just let your imagina-tion wander. Here it is Monday morning, 7:30, and you've just awakened.

You feel awful! Your head aches your throat is sore, your eyes are puffy and you are just one big ache and pain all over. You think: "Hangover?" But no, you're still at MWC, so you decide it's—flu? Yes, that's it, flu. You manage to get dressed and by 8:30 you're on your way to "commit" yourself to the infirmary.

the infirmary.

The first person you see is—no, you see lots of persons first, waiting just as you are. They look like "death warmed over" too, so you sit down and moan with them. Then you see the nurse, Mrs. Tackler, motioning to you to come in. She asks you what's the matter and then promptly pops a thermometer in your mouth. After about 10 minutes it's taken out and, hmmmm—100. Then she brings out a stick at least 12 inches long, dips the cotton endinto something which looks like mercurochrome, and you feel 10 inches of the 12 disappearing down mercurochrome, and you feel 10 inches of the 12 disappearing down your throat. Mrs. Tackler then gives you ample time to spurt, cough, sputter, gag, and choke and then says "you had better go to bed." You then go to the telephone, wait 30 minutes for someone to annuar the libes; in the document. answer the phone in the dorm, and finally get your roommate. She agrees to trot over with the few little things you request: your toothbrush, toothpaste, towel, wash cloth, soap, comb, brush, make-up, bobby pins, pen, ink, sat-tionery, books, Joe's last letter, Joe's picture, pajamas, slippers, VPI animal, magazines, and oh yes, if those few things aren't too much to carry, she might bring the radio too.

The nurse then shows you to a two-girl room on second floor. Both beds are empty and you collapse on one to wait for your "stuff," After it comes, you undress and get in bed, fall asleep, and have beautiful gory night-mares of pencils with mercurochrome for erasers, and people with thermometers sticking out of their ears. Then a voice says, "here's lunch." You awaken to find some asparagus, cheese, soup, bread, hot chocolate, and an ice cream sandwich staring you in the cream sandwich staring you in the face. Oh well, you weren't very hungry anyway. You pick at the food a little, and then lie down again. As you fall asleep you remember all those nights you 'partied" until mid-night back at the dorm and all the rest you could catch up on now.

At 3:00 Miss Tremble, plus there.

At 3:00 Miss Tremble, plus ther At 3:00 Miss Tremble, plus ther-mometer, plus threat swab, plus nose drops and plus—oh no!!! a needle a mile long, comes in. She smiles and says sweetly, "turn over, fair one." You oblige and then —oh yes, as I was saying, she swabs your throat, gives you drops and as she leaves informs you that this same procedure will occur every three hours. You then decide you don't feel

too well so you lie and wait for supper and then lie and wait for "lights out" at 9:00. At this time you are greeted by the night nurse, Miss Rhombus, whom you

have the honor of seeing all during the night at 12:00, 3:00, and 6:00. The next day dawns at 7:00 (for you) when Mrs. Tackler and thermometer again greet you. At 9:30 your ever-faithful roommate trud-ges over with no less than three letters for you, She stands outside the window and you scream back

and forth for a few minutes before Mrs. Tackler finally calls you

This day passes with the san schedule of nose drops, throat swabs, fruit juices, and needles. Oh yes, one different thing happens: you get a roommate. This makes you very happy 'cause now there is someone you can talk to. Oh, just one thing, she has laryngitis and can't say a word. At 9:00 to-night a different night nurse arnight a different night nurse ar-rives, Miss Thankin, whom you get to know quite well in the course of the night.

The third day your friend feels

better and she can whisper to you and Dr. Whittiear, on her morning round says if your temperature stays down you can leave the next stays down you can leave the next day. You're very pleased over that, and what's more, at 6:00 p. m. that day the needles quit coming around. So, that night you sleep well and dream of being "free" the

next day.
But, oh woe!!! On Thursday your temperature is up to 98° and you realize you're doomed to stay an-other day. By 10:30 a. m. on Fri-day, you have read every magacay, you have read every maga-zine, visited every room, sat on every bed, looked in every medi-cine cabinet and written 12 let-ters. By 10:35 you are telling everyone goodbye and on your way back to catch another cold.

Professionals Speak At News Convention

Madison, Wis.—Editors and business managers of 13 top col-lege dailies met to discuss common lems at the third annual Uni

problems at the third annual University Newspaper convention sponsored by the Daily Cardinal, April 6, 7, and 8.

The colleges, represented by 48 delegates, included the University of Michigan, Michigan State, Wayne University, Ohio State, University of Illinois, Northwestern University, Temple University, Pennsylvania State College, University of Colorado, Cornell University, University of Colorado, Cornell University, University of Colorado, Cornell University, University of Colorado, Cornell University of Colorado, Cornell University of Colorado was to enable editorial and business staffs from various parts of

was to enable editorial and business staffs from various parts of the country to compare their prob-lems and discuss solutions. Repre-sentatives of the professional field were invited as the keynote speak-

Guests Welcomed
Prof. Ralph Nafziger, director
of the University of Wisconsin
Journalism school, welcomed the Journalism school, welcomed the guests in the opening session. Graham Hovey, former foreign correspondent and present journalism instructor, described some of his personal reporting experiences. William P. Steven, assistant executive editor of the Minneapolis Tribune and former Cardinal editor, represented a metropolitan daily. daily.

daily.

University professors from the Education school and the political science department conducted an editorial resource panel on federal aid to education to provide background information on the subject to the editors. Technical aspects of the college dailies was discussed by representatives from the Fairchild Camera and Instrument Corporation. Corporation

Officers Present

Officers of the National Student ssociation were present at the discussion groups and a represent-ative of the National Advertising met with the busine

staffs.
The Daily Cardinal was chosen as host for the third convention when the college newspapers met at Pennsylvania State College last spring. The first convention was held by Michigan State.

The arrangements for the conference were handled by Pat Fal-ter, personnel director of the Cardinal. Assisting her were Jane and Jean Loper and Carol Towers, members of the staff.

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B. Mack Accepted For 'Common Glory'

Bobbi Mack, freshman from Baldwin, New York, has recently been offered a part in the "Com-mon Glory," which will begin in Williamsburg on July 1 and run through September 16.

Bobbi, who will have one of the six women's speaking parts, has been very active in dramatics since she came to Mary Washington. A member of the Players, she had a part in "The Women" and has worked behind stage on the other

plays.
"I am really very much surprised and thrilled," said Bobbi. She added that she has already met some of the people connected with the 'Glory' in Williamsburg, and that she is looking forward to working with them.

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Ada Dodrill, who is also a Fresh-man, and Eddie Tompkins are both in the Ballet Corps for the produ

Comprehensive Exams

Continue At Barnard

New York, N. Y.—(I. P.)—Comprehensive major examinations, which have been given to all seniors at Barnard College since 1947. are still in a trial stage, but will be continued this year under a new time schedule in an effort to elimi-nate difficulties in administration and "hardship" among the stu-dents, according to an announce-ment by Dean Millicent C. Mc-

Intosh.

The examination, which surveys material studied in a chosen field over the entire four-year college course, is described by Dean Mc-Intosh as "an effective educational device." Seniors are, at present, also required to take some specific course examinations, particularly in subjects outside of their major

field.
Under the new schedule, seniors will no longer be excused from classes during the final week of the term, but classes for all students will end a few days earlier, this year on Saturday, May 20.
Course examinations will begin

this year on Saturday, May 20. Course examinations will begin Tuesday afternoon, May 23. giving at least three free days in which to prepare for the first tests.

Major examinations will be scheduled at the end of the general examination period. Previously the comprehensive major examinations were given first, and students complained that they had too little time to review four years' work. complained that they had too little time to review four years' work. The proposal to introduce major comprehensive examinations was first accepted by the Barnard Faculty in 1940, but the tests were not actually given until 1947. Final decision on their success and con-tinuance at Barnard will be made by the Faculty next fall.

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ma Chi house party from the Univ. of N. C. last weekend at Myrtle Beach, S. C.

Hannah Lou Southwell attended

the Orchids at Franklin and Mar-shall last week end, dating Char-

He.

Molly Bettcher dated at RPI in Troy, N. Y. for Soiree Week end. She was dating a Delta Phi. Eddie Simon attended dances at Union College in Schenectedy, N. Y. Raiph Flanagan and his orchestra furnished the music.

Betty Meriweather, Susie Branner and Marian Davis attended the Ring Dance at Va. Tech last week end.

week end.

connie Konopantoes visited her ster in Winston-Salem, N. C. ust week end, and attended the

last week end, and attended the christening of her nephew.
Those dating at Annapolis recently include Pat Lancaster, Polly Fenn, Clare Sindlinger, "Liz" Gary, Fran Baker and Joyce Dayenport, Peggy Sherman and Mary Baxter Sigler.

Betsy Smith attended a frat dance at the Univ. of Md. last week end

week end. B. J. S

B. J. Snidow visited Gaynelle Parrish in Emporia, Va., last week

end.

Best wishes to Libby Custer
and Suzanne Molladay, who recently received diamonds. Also to Charlotte Massey, who received a Va.

Teah minuture during Bester

Tech minature during Easter.

A few of the girls who have recently been home are: Judy Graves, Charlottesville; Jean Tom-Ko, Suffolk: Barbara Waskey, Lynchburg; Bev Steele, Richmond; Jane Yoe, Baltimore; Nancy Speck, Dorothy Smith, Norfolk; Jane Betty Ann Utz, Barboursville; Madelyn Doyle McKenny; and Pat Payne, Petersburg.

Couples that were seen on the

Couples that were seen on the campus for May Day week end: Frances Minnick and Nickle Carter (U. Va.); Nancy Tate and Paul Slawson (Bulls Prep School); Jo Ridgely and Leonard Dicky, (Bulls Prep School), Ann Page Lawson and Bill Rogers (Duke); Glinny Pierce and Bill Scott (Duke); "K" Showker and Pete Durk (U. Va.); Candy Crittendon and Sonny (U. Va.); Setty tendon and Sonny (U. Va.); Betty Ann Utz and Lewis May; Phil Maddox and Dave.

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Columbus, O.—(I.P.)—Fraternies and sororities at Ohio State ities and sororities at Ohio State University are seeking to deter-mine the attitudes and beliefs mine the attitudes and beliefs about them on the part of alumni, parents and the general public. Recently some 200 teams of fraternity and sorority members internity and sorority members in-terviewed some 2,000 persons in Columbus, using as the basis of the interviews a questionnaire, drafted by the Public Relations Committee of the Council of Fra-ternity Presidents and Panhellenic Association. Association.

In addition, the committee mail-In addition, the committee mail-ed more than 1,000 questionnaires to alumni of the 51 social fratera-ities and 22 sororities on the cam-pus and parents of members. When all questionnaires are turned in, it is expected that the committee will have expressions of opinion from more than 3,000 persons.

The project is part of an overall public relations program aimed at correcting faults in the fraternity system, correcting erroneous be-liefs about fraternities and sororities, and developing constructive projects and programs. Results of the survey, it is hoped, will help the college group in planning a more effective public relations program.

Room and Board Rates Raised

St. Cloud, Minn.—(I. P.)—Rates for room and board at all dormitories on the campus of the local State Teachers College have been increased ninety cents per week, according to an announcement by President J. H. Headley. He attributed the necessity for the advance in rates to the new ten per cent gross receipts charge for a Minnesota State Dormitory Building Fund which became effective July 1, 1949.

Dr. Headley explained that all

July 1, 1949. Some effective July 1, 1949. The Addley explained that all the boarding and rooming facilities at the college have been operating at a net loss for the current year. Last year the Minnesots State Teachers College board authorized the colleges to increase rates as much as 90 cents per week in case a deficit appeared certain. The raise was not made at that time on this campus, since the dormitories could be operated on the prevailing rates.

rates.

The State Legislature passed a law requiring that ten per cent of all gross receipts in dormitories and carterias be paid to the State Treasurer, to be credited in a dormitory building fund to pay for sonstruction of new dormitories. New buildings were authorized for State Teachers Colleges at Bemidji and Mankato

The ten per cent gross fee exceeds the margin upon which the St. Cloud facilities had been operating. It is estimated that approximately \$30,000 will have to be paid into the Building Fund this year from the St. Cloud activities.

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By Betsy Fletcher, Win

The last Saddle Soap of the year! It doesn't seem possible. We hadn't realized how near it was to the end of school until just now.

end of school until just now.

It has been a full year with all the shows, picnics, drills, the possum hunt, and finally all those wonderful Sundays. It is too bad more of you couldn't have enjoyed those Sundays with us as we worked a little, rode a little, played a little and ate a lot. As the final fling for the riders and in a way, in honor of the seniors, Cavalry will hold an overnight hike May 20 and Hord Prints will have their 20 and Hoof Prints will have their annual banquet May 18. Watch for the details concerning these two offairs.

affairs.

Here is one last tragic but still funny incident which some of you may have already heard about. When Mr. Walther took Barbara Barnam' cross country with his advanced group Thursday, she lost her watch. Well, yesterday she and another girl went out looking for it and got lost in the woods. They were all right until they hit the stream over at Altoona. Then Barbara claims that she saw so many paths going out from there that she couldn't tell which one to follow. Barbara, thinking that she was right, was trailing the horses backwards. She thought that the round part of the hoofprint had been made by the heel of the horses hoof instead of his toes. That is how she got "mixed up." They had gone into the woods at 10:30 and the next time we saw them was about 3:15 that afternoon. They claim that they had climbed over jumps, barb-wire fences, waded through streams, walked through briar patches, etc. and they looked like it! Of course, the funniest thing about the whole event was the way Barbara told it. They still didn't find the watch, so if any of you are over by Altoona—please keep an eye out for it. Here is one last tragic but still keep an eye out for it.

All of you have a nice summer and Betsy and I will see you again next year. Best of luck to the sen-iors!

Dr. Nancy Whitticar and Miss Mildred P. Stewart attended the sectional meetings of the American College Health Association at the Johns Hopkins University on May 12 and 13.

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Physical Education Reinstated As Major

Young women on campus with a leaning toward "the active life" now have a whole field of study open to them. As of this semester, a major program in Health, Physical Education, and Recreation has been reinstated in the curriculum at Mary Washington. This program leads to a Bachelor of Science degree, and is designed for young women interested in careers in this important field of presentday life.

There are several different phases of study open within the field itself. The major may be tak-en with emphasis on sports, dance several different recreation, or physiotherapy. (The latter course works in close conjunction with continued study at the University of Virginia.) Students who wish to prepare for teaching may elect the necessary courses to qualify for the Collegi-ate Professional Certificate, the highest teaching certificate issued

in Virginia.

In addition to completing the courses required of all candidates for the Bachelor of Science degree, students must complete a major program of thirty-six credits in health, physical education, and in health, physical education, and recreation. The major is open not only to incoming freshmen, but also to sophomore students who have completed one year of general college work. This important field represents an area of collegiate study that offers lasting satisfactions and benefits to those who select it as a major. select it as a major.

Activities Regulated At Wilson College

Chambersburg, Pa.—(I. P.)—In an effort to cut down on ineffici-ency and overlapping functions among campus organizations, a committee at Wilson College has drawn up a list of resolutions and suggestions, after studying the constitutions and talking to the leaders, both faculty and student. New regulations of student activi-

ties include the following:

1. As of March 25, all organizations which wish to be active next year must turn in to the Student Council a constitution and application for a temporary charter. This, if granted by a two-third majority of the Council will be for one semester, at the end of which time semester, at the end of winch time a permanent charter may be grant-ed; but the constitution must be reviewed by the Council every three years at the end of first semester. On the basis of this review the Council may grant or refuse to grant, a renewal of the

charter. charter.

(a) In considering constitutional revisions representatives from organizations which are similar (such as the language clubs, IRC and World Federalists) should meet together to discuss common interests and activities. Such discussions should make it receible, to consolidate numerous ossible to consolidate numerous ctivities

(b) Where actual merging of activities is impractical even on a temporary basis, it is strongly urged that the revised constitu-tions of the organizations with similar interests shall contain a specific clause for active coopera-tion. This may be effected by hav-ing representatives of one organi-zation sitting on the cabinet of the other. It is recommended that this representative be an underch

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RA ACTIVITIES

Miss Jean Brown, a junior from Swarthmore, Pennsylvania, has been elected acting President of RA for this year's summer session. Congratulations, Jea know you'll do a grand job! Jean:

The scholarships to camp, camp, sponsored by RA, have been warded this year to Misses Joan Foley and Polly Crossley, both freshmen. The dance scholarship is as yet unde-cided.

Don't forget: Old-New Counci Picnic, May 16, at 6:30.

RA Council is acting as editor for the month of May issue of the for the month or may issue of the "Sportlight," the official publica-tion of the VAFCW. Material for this publication is obtained from the various women's colleges of Virginia, and copies will be distributed to these colleges after publication.

RA Council would like to take this opportunity to try to express its deep and sincere appreciation to all members of Old Council for the wonderful work they've done this year. Congratulations thank you for a grand job.

Folk Dance Club Organized at MWC

What's the latest addition to our fair campus? You haven't heard?
Well, lend an ear—after all, this
could be your golden opportunity.
Perhaps you too can belong!—To
what?—The American Folk Dance Club, of course! It's a newly or-ganized club here on the hill to promote a greater interest in folk dancing, and to give all of those who love to folk dance a weekly opportunity to do just that. Miss Stewart is sponsor, and the officers are Barbara Kimble, president; Pat Moss, vice-president; and Jackie Jones, secretary-treasurer. The club's been busy this year

and has big plans for next year including a lot of new dances, exhibition dancing, participation in the RA square dances, and even hopes to squeeze in a square dance

party with U. Va.

The two most important membership requirements are: an active interest in folk dance, and one semester, or its equivalent, of in-struction in folk dance. If you can satisfy these requirements, you are eligible to apply for memberare eigible to apply for member-ship. So when you start getting that longing to do some folk dancing, and when you start look-ing around for a good club to join, keep in mind the American Folk Dance Club

Nice Addresses R. A. Banquet

The annual Recreation Associa-tion Banquet was held on Thurs-day evening, May 11, at the Fred-ericksburg Country Club. The banquet-room, attractively decorated with flowers and candles, was filled to capacity with the fifty-some persons, members, and faculty, who attended the event.

After a chicken dinner the group ang several songs, and the guest speaker, Miss Carolyn Nice, Con-sultant in Hospital Recreation with the Red Cross in Washington, C., was introduced. Miss I the Red Cross III Washington, 2007.

C, was introduced. Miss Nice spoke on 'Present Day Trends In Recreation,' telling of the growth and advancement of the recreation and advancement or the recreation field, what is being done in the various phases of recreation, and educational leadership opportuni-ties that are open today. The R. A. Council officers for

The R. A. Coultri between the country are were then introduced, the hockey scholarship awards were made, and Miss Nan Taylor, retiring president of R. A., was presented with a gift.

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Birdie Tournament Ends New Dance General Sports Activities

The remaining players are now closing steadily into the quarter-finals of the Spring Badminton Tournament, thus finishing off general sports activities for the year. The following matches will

be played off by Thursday, May 18:

1. Dot Belden and Lucy Ring vs.
Carol King and Diana Buckwalter.
2. T. Burnett and Audrey Smith
Vs. Pat Abarnathy and Isan Farvs. Pat Abernathy and Jean Far

3. Louise Larson and Elizabeth Fitzgerald vs. Molly Bettcher and Marjorie Burton.

4. Nancy Richardson and Nell Jane Sosebee have already ad-vanced into the quarter-finals.

Members Elected

The Concert Dance Club recently held a business meeting at which time new members were elected. They are Katherine King, June Mitchell, Jo Anne Moderau, Sarah Schroder, Anne Talley, and Nancy Rutherford Williams. Plans Nancy Rutherford Williams. Plans were made to change the time of the Concert Dance Club meetings to 4:30 Monday, Wednesday and Friday and the Junior Dance Club to 4:30 Tuesday and Thursday.

On Saturday, May 13, a picnic was held at the Potomac home of Mrs. Claudia Read, club sponsor, in honor of the new members and

the graduating seniors.

1950 Job Outlook Clouded By Large Numbers of Graduates

With about 500,000 college stu-dents graduating this year—the largest number in our country's history—the job outlook for the history—the job outlook for the new college graduates is generally good. It is not, however as good as in 1947 and 1948.

as in 1947 and 1948.

The outlook is clouded by three factors: the large number of graduates who will be seeking jobs; a moderate increase in the total number of unemployed persons; and the filling of war-created shortages of college graduates in some specialized fields by the large graduating classes of 1948 and 1949.

Economy Strang

Economy Strong

Basically, the economy of the country is strong and there is a general concensus that production and employment will remain high during 1950. However, the big problem facing the economy is that of constantly providing more goods and services and utilizing fully a labor force that is growing at the rate of 600,000 to 700,000 workers a year. Even if employment con-tinues during 1950 at about the same level as last year, as it is expected to do, unemployment will increase and jobs will be harder to

Graduates seeking information on expanding industries or sections of the country need to remember this basic fact: most of the jobs this basic fact: most of the jobs taken by this year's college graduates will be, as usual, those which have been vacated by other workers. Deaths and retirements at the top of the occupational ladder create the largest number of

openings at the bottom.

To emphasize that most job opportunities occur as a result of turnover is not to belittle the number that arise through expansion.

Growing markets, technological
improvements, and the development of new industries and ad-

ment of new industries and additional services all create job
openings for inexperienced workers
with the proper training.
West Coast Employment
Employment in certain parts of
the country is growing more rapidly than in others in the long-run.
This is true on the West Coast, the
South Atlantic region and Tayas. This is true on the West Coast, the South Atlantic region and Texas. However, the supply of workers in some of these areas—the West Coast for example—has increased more rapidly than job opportunities. Moreover, in rural areas of the country generally the need for workers in some of the professional fields is greater than in cities.

fields is greater than in cities.

For many college graduates of the class of 1950, the fact that American industry is in a period American moustly is in a period of intense competition for markets will be the major reason for suc-cess in finding employment. Indus-try responds to competition by try responds to competition by pushing advertising and sales efforts and by cutting production costs, streamlining operations, replacing obsolete equipment, and redesigning products and plants. These activities provide opportunities for professionally trained workers and for young and vigorous people with sales ability or imagination in the advertising field.

Situations Vary
General observations about conditions in the job market tend to

hide widely varying situations. Prospects are excellent in some oc-Prospects are excellent in some oc-cupations, industries, and areas, In others, where wartime and postwar shortages have now been filled, many graduates will find it dif-ficult to get jobs. In teaching, for example, there is at once an acute shortage of per-sonnel in the elementary schools

and a growing oversupply at the high school level. For the current school year, only one elementary teacher was trained for every three who were needed. On the other hand, four times as many students completed training for high school

teaching as were required.
Stiff Competition
Other professional fields in which stiff competition for jobs is expected in the next few years include: law, journalism, and person-nel work. In engineering, the num-ber of graduates will exceed the number of openings in the early 1950's; after the next 4 or 5 years, the employment situation for new graduates is likely to improve in this rapidly growing profession. In chemistry, competition will be keen during the next few years among persons without graduate training; the outlook is better for those with

the outlook is better for those with graduate degrees.

There will probably also be an oversupply of business administra-tion graduates. A surplus of new graduates has already developed in

graduates has already developed in the field of accounting.

Liberal arts graduates with work experience or specialized training will find it easier to get jobs than those with only a general undergraduate education.

Good Prospects

Prospects for the year expense.

Prospects for the new entrants are good in health service occupa-tions. There is a current shortage of nurses, and demand for nursing service will probably continue to rise. In medicine and dentistry those able to enter and complete training will have good opportunities; however, competition is very keen for admission to professional schools. In pharmacy the supply of new graduates has almost caught up with the demand; the profession may be over-crowded in the longrun if enrollments in pharmacy col-leges continue at present high levels. Good opportunities are expected also for other occupational groups important in health ser-vice, such as veterinarians, medical X-Ray technicians, medical labora-tory technicians, dental hygienists, physical therapists,

therapists, and dietitlans.

The picture facing this year's graduates is a mixed one. Business conditions as a whole are continuing good. In spite of this high level of business activity, the growing labor force and growing productivity may well result in high levels of unemployment. The picture for job opportunities is equally mixed. Some occupations are oversupplied Some occupations are oversupplied with graduates, and the competition will be intense for the available jobs. Other fields have a demand for jobs which far outweigh the available supply of trained people to fill those jobs. Those whose training lies in the crowded fields have several alternatives open to (Continued on Page 8)

Make Friends By Following 'The Golden Kule'

We're always in a hurry. When the bell rings we slam our books shut and shuffle our feet, hoping the professor will take the hint and dismiss class.

After class has been dismissed, we make a rush for the door. In the cafeteria we try to beat each other to the line.

other to the line.
So far today we've made two
enemies—and the day is only half
over. At this rate, we'll probably
have made five or six at the end
of the day. We intended to make
friends when we came to college,
but it doesn't look as if we're do-

ing so well.

Isn't there some way we can stop making enemies and start making friends? Yes, as a matter of fact, there is. It's called the Golden Rule. "Do unto others as you would have others do unto you." That's all there is to it.

you." That's all there is to it.
Also, we can drop a kind word
here and there around campus to
let people know that we are thinking about them. A cheerful "good
morning" and a smile will help.
It doesn't matter whether we're
football players, chess champions,
poker players, or just plain college
students, the application of the
Golden Rule will help us in our
quest for friends. — The Golden
Rod, Wayne State Teachers College, Nebraska.

Living Alone ... And Liking It?

Which is better for a student: To live in a room by himself or to live with several other students? Will the student study more and

get better grades in the first in-stance? Will he have a better time and develop a better social attitude in the second instance?

attitude in the second instance?
We can think of advantages to
both. The student rooming by
himself, we believe, will do more
studying if he's the right type.
If he cares little for horseplay,
enjoys card games or group recreation only rarely, if he's a meticulous reader and thrives on long
exercises with his homework in

ous reader and thrives on long sessions with his homework in solitude, he'd probably be happier and do better work by himself. If he feels "lost" without someone to talk to, if he's a decided extrovert who's bored when by himself, if a room's silence gets on his nerves, if he learns quickly and has much time for varied activities, he'd better accumulate some cronies.

The question of which arrange-The question of which arrangement is best is not easily answered, of course. Generally speaking, we feel that the slightly extroverted person is better adjusted and that the student living alone is missing something in his social life. At the same time, we realize that no two persons have the same tastes or traits and that any one of you readers could find fault with our reasoning.—Ohio State Lantern.

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CURRENT EVENTS

By HARRIETTE SEELY

Democrats are pinning their hopes of increasing their House and Senate majorities on the prospects of a heavy vote in the cur-rent Congressional elections; the party leaders say a light vote would favor the Republicans.

The United States has asked the Czech government to reduce diplomatic staff in this country by diplomatic staff in this country by two-thirds and to close its con-sulates in Cleveland and Pitts-burg. This is the second in a series of retalitory moves made by our government against the current policies of the communist dominated government in Prague.

Some of the diplomats at the current London Conference of foreign ministers have expressed the belief that the Soviet Union is growing more and more militaris-tic and has accepted the idea of a shooting war as an alternative to the current economic and politi-cal struggle with the Western

The National Railway Mediation Board has held the first of a series of conferences in an effort to settle the four-day railroad strike that now affects five big roads and has thrown 200,000 men

The United States will establish a new working agreement with Great Britain and perhaps later with other North Atlantic Pact nations in an effort to establish nations in an errort to establish a more effective counter-propaganda policy in the "cold war" . . . Well that's great news, isn't it. Sees that this week's news can be summed up in a brief quote "Wars and rumors of wars"—know where I first read that?

Lecturer: "Three thousand and twenty-six elephants were needed last year to make billiard balls. Now, are there any questions?" Heckler: "Yes. How do they train the beasts to do such delicate work?"

Uncle Willie: "You boys starting out today expect too much. Do you know what I was getting when I married your aunt?"

Cousin Roger: "No, and I bet you didn't either!"

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Larson Selected Posture Queen

Louise Larson was recently se-lected by RA as the Posture Queen of Mary Washington.

or Mary Washington.
When asked how she felt as she walked up to the stage to receive her bouquet of spring flowers, Louise said "I was really surprised and pleased."

and pleased."

Louise is now living in Alexandria, but claims California as home. She transferred to M. W. C. from the University of Hawaii. Her major is Biology. Miss P. Q. Larson will serve as president of the Fencing Club and vice-president of Terrapin for next year.

1950 Job Outlook

Notice

Station WMWC wishes to enlarge its record library, as it is apparent that additional records for broadcasting could be used. Anyone who has old good records on hand and who wishes to donate them to WMWC may do so by contacting Ruth Stess, Westmoreland 302. Any dona-tions will be greatly appre-

Report Announces

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quantitative psychometric methods that their truth or falsity will be established.

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them. First of all, they would be well advised to explore the possibilities of entering any fields closely allied to their field of primary interest, where there may be more openings. They should also explore the possibility of graduate training to equip themselves with more specialized skills.

It's all in the way you look at things. Getting the baby to sleep is hardest when she is about 18 years old.

Newman Club Has Breakfast

The annual Communion break-fast of the Newman Club of Mary Washington College of the Univer-sity of Virginia was held follow-ing the 9 o'clock mass on May 7,

Miss Constance Metzger intro-duced the speaker of the morning, Rt. Rev. Magr. William J. Mc-Donnell, professor of 'Philosophy at Catholic University, Washing-ton, D. C. His address, entitled "in This the Holy Year," was most in-

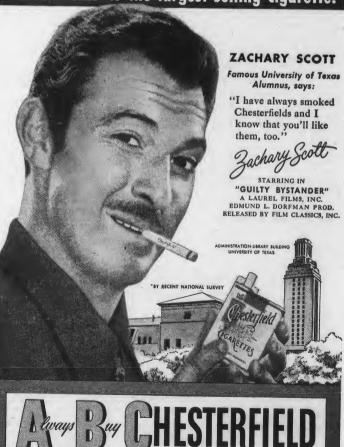
Widmer, the Rev. J. Rev. J. Widmer, the club's chaplain, presented a statue of the Virgin Mary to Miss Metzger, the retiring president. Miss Cornelia Rudolph, incoming president, awarded the John Henry Newman Honorary Society key to the most outstanding member of the past sesion, Miss Virginia Ruth Hardy, a senior from Allenton Virginia. a senior from Arlington, Virginia.
On behalf of the club, Miss Metzger, a senior from Richmond, Virginia, was presented a Saint Andrew's Daily Missal for untiring efforts in promoting the objectives forts in promoting the objectives of the Newman Club during her presidency.

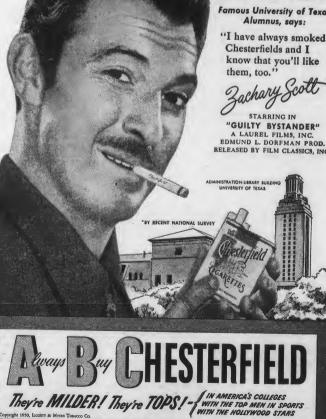
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Sophomores To Present Benefit "Star-Dusting"

Starlight Manor is the scene of the Sophomore Class show, "Star-Dusting," which will be given this Friday, May 19, at 8:00 P. M. in Monroe auditorium.

Monroe auditorium.

According to the class vice-press,
Mary Stuelcken, Starlight Manor is
the perfect place to spend a summer vacation. A great deal of hidden talent is to be found among
the retired actors at the resort.
There is service in a musical mood,
with tap-dancing bellhops and singing waiters and washerwomen.

The original somes by Low Eve

ing waiters and washerwomen.
The original songs by Lou Fox
will highlight the show. They include "I Miss Broadway," "We're
Gonna Have a Party," and the
Finale. Credit for costuming goes
to Althea School, while Dot Cuneo
is doing the make up. Virginia
Crim and Betty Holzshu are in harge of publicity

Maddox To Attend **Training School**

Phyllis Maddox, M.W.C. Y president for next year, will attend the Leadership Training School for Y presidents at the University of Chicago this summer. The school lasts for five weeks, beginning June 19 and continuing until July 28.

thuting until July 28.

The courses offered are "Introduction to Christian Faith," "Introduction to Social Ethics," and "Leadership in the Student Christian Movement." Carefully selected faculty members deal with the fundamental Christian faith and ethics for modern life, Students attending will live, study, work and play as a unit, and will have all the advantages of metropolitan and university life, politan and university life

Former Professor To Attend Exercises

Of interest to the seniors is the news that Mr. Sam Ruff, former English professor at Mary Washington, will attend the graduation exercises. Mr. Ruff is returning to the U.S. for a two months vactors of the U.S. for a two months vactors of the U.S. which we will get the senior of the U.S. of the two months vactors of the two which the t cation, after which he will go to Lebanon. He is employed by the State Department and has seen service in both Africa and Munich, Germany.

Mary Washington **Band Wins First** Place At Rally

Mary Washington's band won Mary Washington's band won first place in their grouping at the fourteenth National School Safety Patrol Parade held Saturday, May 13, in Washington, D. C. The parade, with 40 bands, took three hours and 18 minutes to pass the

viewing stand.

M. W. C., marching under the M. W. C., marching under the classification of group number four, or college bands, was representing the state of Ohio, as Ohio is too far away to send their own band. The rally which is sponsored annually by the American Automobile Association had representatives present from 21 states.

M. W. C. gets \$100 for first place from A. A. A. and \$250 from Ohio for representing the state. This money will go into the band fund. Ohio has asked Mary Washington to be their representative.

Onto has asked Mary washing-ton to be their representative again next year. The M.W.C. band took off first place honors last year as well as this year. The band members attended a banquet at the Hotel Annapolis after the parade.

To Be Presented

THE SLEEPING PRINCESS, ballet in three acts, will be presented by the Sebethy School of Dance Arts on Friday, May 19, 8:00 P. M., in the James Monroe High School Auditorium. Featured as the Princess Aurora

in this traditional fantasy will be Anne Wilson, of Fredericksburg, and as Prince Florimund, Eddie Tompkins, a student at Mary Washington College. Other Mary Washington College students who will take part in the ballet are Jack Lambert, as a Suitor of the Princess, Betty Payne, as The Camelia Fairy, Jean Williams, as the Princess Florisse in the Bluebird Variation with Walter A. Stroud of Washington, and Doris Harless, as the Queen. Jane Black, daughter of Dr. Zoe Black of the daughter of Dr. Zoe Black of the Mary Washington College faculty, will dance as the Lilac Fairy. Stu-dents of ballet from Fredericks-burg, Culpepper, Spotsylvania, and Bowling Green complete the cast. Prior to the presentation of the ballet, a brief program of novelty tap and soft-shoe numbers will be given

given.

Mrs. Sebethy extends a special invitation to Mary Washington Colege students to attend this performance. Permission to go has been given by Mrs. Bushnell. This will not be counted as a night in town. Tickets at the student rate of 50c can be purchased from Nancy Trice, 105 Westmoreland.

Chair To Give Convo Concert

The last convocation of the year will be given by the choir tomorrow night under the direction of Miss Eva Taylor Eppes, head of the music department.

The program of both sacred and

The program or both sacred aims secular choral works will feature, as soloists, Toni Patelos, presi-dent of the choir, Nancy McLeod, and Mr. Clyde Carter. On Sunday evening, May 21, the

On Sunday evening, May 21, the choir will give a concert of sacred music at Randolph-Macon College, when the soloists will include Mary Byrd Tignor, Sandra Chastang, Jimmle Rivers, Nancy McLeod, and Tony Patelos.

Notice

This is the last issue of the Bullet for the year, and if there are any organizations on the Hill whose officers for the next year have not been announced, it will be greatly appreciated if the new presidents will give the lists of officers either to Mrs. Russell or Mr. Brooks. Seniors: This is your last week for checking your personnel cards in Mr. Brooks' office.

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Mrs. Russell would appreciate
the seniors' seeing her in person
before graduation concerning
job applications instead of waiting and writing her this sumjoo applications instead of waiting and writing her this summer. Also, she would like the seniors to notify her as soon as they are placed in jobs after graduation.

Important!!!

All new Bullet staff members including reporters and circu-lation, are invited to come to 109 Westmoreland Tuesday, May 16, at 5, for a short social-

To Present Award Alpha Psi Omega, national hon-

Alpha Psi Omega

prary dramatic fraternity, is establishing an award to be presented to the outstanding senior dramatics major who has contributed most to the college theater, the fraternity, and the college.

The recipient of the award, which will be given on Class Day, will be chosen on the basis of her leadership, scholarship, and by the vote of the members of the fraternity. It is as yet undecided as to what the award will be.

Students Accepted To Do Honors Work

The following girls have been accepted by the Departmental committees to do Honors Work next year in their various fields: Jane Millar, English; Sue Swyers, English; Bitsy Clark, Biology; Barbara Baute, Biology; Jo Downs, Biology; Donna Hankla, Music; Jo Wilson, Latin; and Joan Hewlett, Philosophy.

Spur' Dedicated To Senior Class

The June issue of The Spur is dedicated to the graduating class of Mary Washington. Miss Doro-thy Duggan, M. W. C. faculty member, contributed the cover. Copies of this issue are available for the friends and relatives attending the commencement exercises.

Cap and Gown Girls **Guide Historic Tours**

The new members of Cap and The new members of Cap and Gown acted as guides for a tour of historic Fredericksburg last week. Dean Alvey was Chalrman of this project, sponsored by the Fredericksburg Chamber of Commerce to acquaint high school seniors in this area with local shrines and places of historic in-terest. Eleven high schools sent 350 students to make the tour.

Chapman Represents Off Campus Girls On SGA

Eddie Kay Chapman has been chosen off campus Student Gov-ernment Representative, and the new Off-campus cabinet has been selected by the retiring cabinet.

The representatives chosen are Gretchen Anderson, Eddie Brazell, Mary Lou Kirkendall, Eleanor Ann Michelet, Madelaine Quesenberry, Jo Sidney Riddle, Claire Sims, and Dorothy Stultz.

Allen To Represent Pi Gamma Mu At W. H. Conference

Mr. Philip J. Allen, sociology professor at Mary Washington, has been invited to attend the Mid-century White House Conference on Children and Youth as the rep-resentative of Pi Gamma Mu, the National Social Science Fraternity. This conference, which will be held in December, was discussed and ex-plained by Miss Elma Phillison last week in Chapel.

As the school year of 1956 draws to a close, M.W.C. seniors announce plans for graduation weekend.

Dean Wilson Will Give

Commencement Address

plans for graduation weekend.
The highlight of the weekend
will be the commencement exerclases on Monday, June 5th. One
hundred ninety-four candidates
for Bachelor of Arts and thirty
for Bachelor of Science degrees in
the class of 1950 will assemble in
cap and gown in George Washington auditorium where Dr. David
C. Wilson, dean of Hampden-Sydney College, will make his address.
Dr. Wilson received his A. B. and
A. M. degrees at Princeton University and his Ph.D. at the University and his Ph.D. at the University of Michigan. He is a member of the Virginia Classical Association, has taught Greek and
Latin in several high schools and
colleges throughout the country,
and is a members of Omicron
Delta, Kappa.

Sermon To Be Delivered The highlight of the weekend

Sermon To Be Delivered

The Baccalaureate sermon, to be delivered Sunday, June 4th, will be another highlight of the week-end's activities. Rev. Henry Wade DuBose, D. D., president of the General Assembly's Training School for Lay Workers at Richmond, will deliver the sermon at 11:00 A. M. After receiving his B. A. at Vanderbilt University, Dr. DuBose received the bachelor of divinity degress from the Touisville Presbyterian Ceminary. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and has had an honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity bestowed upon him by Southwestern University at Memphis, Tennessee. Class Day is another high point The Baccalaureate sermon, to be

Class Day is another high point of the weekend. It will take place at 11:00 A. M., Saturday, June of the weekend. It will take place at 11:00 A. M., Saturday, June 3rd, in the amphitheatre. A welcome speech by Marceline Westerly will open the program. Following this will come the presentation of awards, the class gift to the school, the class history and prophecy, and the farewell speech for the class by B. J. Lyle.

Senior Dance

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Another important event of the
weekend will be the Senior Dance.
It will be held at 9:00 P. M. on
Saturday, June 3rd, on the George
Washington Roof Garden for seniors, their dates, and their famnilies. The steering committee for
the dance is composed of Marceline Weatherly, chairman; Jeanne
Sommers; Jean Melvin; Lois Ann
White, decorations chairman; Miriam Sollows, programs and invitations chairman; and Jane Dayis,
chairman of photographs.
Still other activities are sched-

Still other activities are sched-uled for the weekend. The senior uled for the weekend. The senior picnic will be held in Westmore-land Park on June 2. The senior class production will be presented the night of the 2nd, with Jeanne Sommers in charge. It will be a glimpse into the past of the class. On Saturday, June 3rd, President Combs will entertain the seniors at a garden party at Brompton. The Y. W. C. A. will give a tea in the seniors' honor on Sunday, June 4th.

M. W. C. Faculty Read Papers

Two Mary Washington faculty members gave papers at the an-nual meeting of the Virginia Acad-emy of Science held May 12 in Roanoke.

Dr. Zoe Black of the Biology Department spoke on "Cytology of the Eosinophil of Lumbricus Terrestris."

Terrestris."

Mr. G. P. Burns of the Physics
Department spoke on "Efficiency
of Thermoelectric Process."

The Guardsman Stars **Denecke and Warfield**

By FRANCES GLASS

The Mary Washington College The Mary Washington College Theatre closed its season with the presentation of Molnar's comedy, The Guardsman on May 12 and 13. Norma Denecke and Jack Warfield played the starring roles of the actress and the actor.

Come Up To Standards of Excellence

The performance, which went

The performance, which went off without a flaw, came up to the standard of excellence that the College Theatre has set up. It is a delightful play and the able cast gave it all they had. The cast was well chosen for the witty, sophisicated comedy. The plot revolves around the marital problems of the overly emotional, sometimes superficial, actress and actor. The actor disguises himself as a member of the Russian Imperial Guard in order to test the fidelity of his wife.

fidelity of his wife.

Denecke Gave Brilliant

are to have such an able and tal-ented director—as well as such a very good actor.

Mary Hardwick Appears As "Mama"

"Mamm"

Mary Hardwick gave her last performance at Mary Washington in the role of "Mama." Despite the red wig and the change in her voice, it didn't take the audience long to realize that she was the same Mary. She played the part well, but it seems that the part itself limited her wonderful stage personality. The student body will miss her in the College Theatre productions for next year.

The supporting cast consisted

The supporting cast consisted of Jean Sprower, Levin Houston III, Carolyn Bowers, and Helen

Chiles.

College Theatre Closes Successful
Year
With the presentation of The
Guardsman the College Theatre
closes a very successful year. The
two previous productions were The
Women by Clare Booth Luce and
Doll's House by Ibsen. Although all Denecke Gave Brilliant
Performance
Norma Denecke, who is remembered for her portrayal of Sylviarin The Women, gave another brilliant performance. She has talent and will obviously go a long way in the world of the theatre.

The part of the actor and the Guardsman seems to have been cut out for Jack Warfield. It is the type of role that he plays so well, similar to his well-remembered role in Foolish Notion last year.

Whenever we see Mr. Warfield on

Farewell Seniors! We'll Miss You

In these few short weeks remaining before the class of 1950 takes its place in the alumnae files, we, the underclass-men have been thinking about the important place you, the Seniors, have played in our campus life, as well as in our per-

Last week was Senior Day, your day. We, the underclass-men, hope that you enjoyed it as much as we did. As we men, nope that you enjoyed it as much as we did. As we mopped your floors, served you breakfast in bed, carried your laundry, and made your beds, we couldn't help but think how many good times we have had together. Then when we saw your skit we appreciated fully how talented a class you are. It was really great!

your skit we appreciated fully how talented a class you are. It was really great!

As we look back over this past year, we recall the many services you have rendered to us, the student body. As Seniors, you furnished leadership for our organizations and counseling for the Freshmen. Your school participation was further shown in your benefit and in your talented portrayals in the Mary Washington College Theater productions.

A Goat victory after so many years of Devil triumphs was largely due to your enthusiasm and determination to win.

We, your fellow students, feel certain that you will carry that enthusiasm and determination to win with you as you leave Mary Washington to enter the competitive life of the outside world.

outside world. We wish you all the luck in the world. We are going to miss you next year, but we know that you will be achieving recognition for M. W. C. by accomplishing something in your chosen fields. Let us know how you are getting along by writing letters to the Bullet. And always remember, class of 1950, we'll be looking forward to that "Future Edition."

The Bullet wishes to congratulate the Battlefield staff and its editor, Leora (Nehi) Knapp, and business manager, Elizabeth (Bunny) Bunnell for the splendid annual.

Last week the Bullet suggested having Interclub Council. We are pleased that the suggestion has been considered and acted upon to the extent that club presidents met last week and are planning a second meeting. The Bullet wishes this group success and promises to cooperate in every way possible to bring about that success.

EXAMINATION SCHEDULE

Saturday	9:00-11:00	Classes meeting	8:30.	M. W. F
May 27	2:00- 4:00	Classes meeting		
Monday	9:00-11:00	Classes meeting	9:30	M, W, F
May 29	2:00- 4:00	Classes meeting		T, Th, S
Tuesday	9:00-11:00	Classes meeting	10:30	M. W. F
May 30	2:00- 4:00	Classes meeting		
Wednesday	9:00-11:00	Classes meeting	11:30	M. W. F
May 31	2:00- 4:00	Classes meeting		
Thursday	9:00-11:00	Classes meeting	2:00	M, W, F
June 1	2:00- 4:00	Classes meeting		BE THE TO

Roots of Culture Good Taste

WEDDING CUSTOMS FIRST RINGS BINDING NUPTIAL VOWS, UNLIKE TODAYS GOLD OR DIAMOND WEDDING RINGS, WERE GRASS BANDS WHICH CAVEMEN TIED ON FINGER OF THEIR BRIDES





ANCIENT ENGLISH BRIDAL CUSTOM SHOWERED BRIDE WITH WHEAT AND PRESENTED HER AND HER GROOM WITH A POT OF BUTTER DENOTING PLENTY & ABUNDANCE



CALENDAR

Tuesday, May 16, Chapel—Student Government.

Wednesday, May 17, Convocation—Choir under the direction of

Miss Eppes.

Friday, May 19, Chapel—Student recital of pupils of Miss Eppes; "Stardusting", sophomore benefit, Monroe auditorium

"Stardusting, so production benefit, Monroe auditorium 8:00 P. M.
Saturday, May 20, Movie, "Wizard of Oz," G. W. auditorium; informal dance, little roof gar-

den.
Tuesday, May 23, Chapel—Alpha
Phi Sigma.
Saturday, May 27—June 27—
exams.
Sanior Class picnic.

Friday, June 2, Senior Class picnic, 8:00 A. M., Westmoreland Park; Senior Class Production,

8:30 P. M., Amphitheater.
Saturday, June 3, Class Day, amphitheater at 11:00 A. M.; garden party for seniors at den party for seniors at Brompton, 10 A. M.; Senior Dance on the G. W. roof gar-den at 9:00 P. M. dday, June 4, Baccalaureate ser-

mon, 11:00 A. M. in G. W. auditorium; Y. W. C. A. tea for seniors at 4:00 P. M.; Devotions, East Lawn of Monroe Hall at 7:00 P. M.

Monday, June 5, Graduation 11:00 in G. W. auditorium.

Now that this year is swiftly drawing to a close on its little cat feet, the recurring situation arises in regard to students who do not plan to return to Mary Washing-ton. It is often interesting to hear the various reasons that prompt a student either to transfer or a student either to transfer or withdraw permanently; therefore, I decided to take my tape recorder in hand and pay a visit to two MWCer's who, as of this May, will no longer be MWCer's. The tape recorder was used for the purpose of recording the students' statements accurately so that when the time came to write KOLLUM, there would be no libel suits. And now for the interviews exactly as they 'were recorded yesterday. The first interviewee is at present a junior who is not

yesterday. The first interviewee is at present a junior who is not planning to return her senior year. Interviewer: Your name please. Interviewer: Well, Pearl, you seem to have been so active in school activities these past three years that it came as surprise to all of us on hearing that you were planning to transfer. Do you

to all or us on nearing that you were planning to transfer. Do you mind telling us your reasons. Pearl: Not at all. I cain't git what I'm lookin' fer here. Interviewer: Well, where are you planning to transfer? Pearl: Elkshorn Institute of Entomology.

tomology. Interviewer: I see. You plan to

be an Entomologist?
Pearl: Yup. I've always had a
lovin' fer li'l bugs. In the Ozarks,
you see all types.
Interviewer: You're from the

Pearl: Yup, which means I kin it home ever now and then. Interviewer: And here they have

no courses pertaining to Entomo logy?
Pearl: Nope, and bugs is my

life.
Interviewer: Well, in that case
you should transfer; however,
you'll be missed by all of us, Pearl.
Pearl: W'all I'll shore miss you
all tew, but my bugs is a'callin'

Interviewer: And where your bugs go, you go. Well good luck Pearl and may your path through-out life lead you to success. Pearl: Gee, them shore air purty

Pearl: Gee, them shore air purty words. They almost make me cry. I'll try and git back fer the senior benefit next year.
Interviewer: We hope to see you there too, Pearl, and thank you for the interview.
(Our second interview was with Daisy van Holstein from Swamp-ville, Miss. Thinking it would be interesting to get a true Southerner's opinion of the school and her



Study, but don't go overboard to get that mortarboard!

reasons for leaving, she was asked for an interview. The recorder has it as following:)
Interviewer: It was nice of you, Daisy, to take time to be interviewed like this.
Daisy: Why ah didn't-mind at all. It's man pleasure to be sho'.
Interviewer: Is it true that you're not planning to return here next year.

you're not planning to return here next year.

Daisy: That's right. Ah've thought about it and have decided that it's the only. thing ah can do. Interviewer: What seems to be the reason for your decision?

Daisy: There's no swamp heah.

Interviewer: I beg your pardon?

Daisy: You see, ah've got to be neah a swamp.

neah a swamp.
Interviewer: But why?
Daisy: This heah clear sunshiny
weathuh gives me a skin rash but the minute ah gits to Black Moc-casin Swamp which surrounds mah home town, this heah rash goes away.

Interviewer: Then the only time

Interviewer: Then the only time you don't have a rash is when you're in Swampville.

Daisy: That's right, so naturally ah got to go home to mah swamp. Interviewer: Well, Daisy, it's a shame that you have a skin rash every time you're away from (ugh'l) Black Moccasin Swamp.

Daisy: Well, ah miss it anyway.

Daisy: Well, ah miss it anyway so it's a good excuse to get back

Interviewer: Well, be sure and tell all the (ugh) moccasins "hello"

for me, heh, heh.

Daisy: Ah sho' will, honey chile, and may God bless yo'.

Interviewer: Thank you Daisy.

EXCHANGE COLUMN

On April 25 Mr. Orville W. Wake was inaugurated as the sixth president of Lynchburg College. This was one of the most eventful days of this century for Lynchburg College. Sealburger, the U. Va. mascot, repeated his former record by taking two first places in a local dog show. Sealburger was bedeelted in orange and blue ribbon and was wearing his football season blanket. son blanket.

son blanket.

The annual Virginia Music Festival was held last weekend at Scott Stadium in Charlottesville.

A survey at Randolph-Macon college shows that thirty seniors out of one hundred and twenty-three have obtained jobs. Forty-three members of this graduating class are planning to attend graduate school.

Pi Gamma Mu Holds Banquet

M. W. C.'s chapter of Pi Gamma Mu, Social Science Fraternity, held a joint banquet with Randolph-Macon Men's College at the Princess Anne Hotel on May 11. The guest speaker of the evening was Mr. Wendell Lewis, Professor of Economics at Randolph-Macon. He told the 43 guests present about his life in the International House in New York and his visits to the N. N. meetings.

Interviewer: Thank you Daisy. same to you.

And thus concludes our interviews. We'll miss both girls, but at least you readers know now that often times reasons for transfering can be quite legitimate. And may all the students who do plan See you all next fall.

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Did you miss chapel Friday? Are you one of the lucky few who had a cut left and used it? If so, you missed the big chance. The chance to make an addition to your family. But it's not too late for you to add a little sister to your collection. Use a little footyour collection. Use a little foot-work and drop over to see Jane Allen in Willard 114 and sign up for all the fun being a big sister can bring. You'll relieve the fun of your Freshman days with the Kid Party, Big and Little Sister Church Day, and all the rest of the excitement plus an extra corres-pondent this summer and the thrill of being a consultant come

Don't let the Frosh down. Sign up and be a Big Sister today.

There are now twenty pieces of furniture in the Y room instead of the usual nineteen. The stead of the usual nineteen. The extra piece comes in the form of a portable typewriter and was received by Y with open arms. Thanks to Marion Jenkins, the donator. The addition will be kept busy next semester with Y reports, rolls, and other official business. It's so nice to have a portable around the house!

MORE ON LOYALTY
Plans are still in progress for
the new week to bolster school
spirit. A.R.A., Student Government, and Y. are toying with a
few more ideas on the subject.
First, Loyalty week may be shortened to one day ending in the
grand convo, September 27. Second, the following Friday night
may find the Amphitheatre alight
with good cheer and blazing with
song as the three organizations with good cheer and blazing with song as the three organizations stage a huge pep rally, complete with band and fun. Third, the new plan may omit the dally skits which have come to be a part in the Loyalty Week proceedings and replace them with other doings, equally as much fun. The ideas are flying thick and fast on this new program and soon it will be put to the test in a Student Body vote.

SPANISH CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS

Club recently for the coming re: Judy Mack, The Spanish elected officers year. They are: Judy Mack, president; Anne Taylor, vice-president, Mary Tremaine, secre-ary; Louise Ash, treasurer; and

Betty Brice, program chairman.
The club sponsor is Dr. Cabrera.
The new officers were installed
at the May 15 meeting. At the
same time the Spanish Club Orchestra entertained the group with a selection of Spanish songs. Members of the orchestra are: Mary Tremaine, conductor; Betty Brice, Pat Moss, Willie Parsons, Nancy McLeod, Margaret Menzies, Pat Line, and Carmen Zeppenfeldt.

Last Thursday the club spon-sored a technicolor movie, An Evening in Spain, shown in Mon-roe Auditorlum. The club is also planning to invite speakers from the Pan American Union to appear at next year's meetings.

IRC Elects Officers

At the last meeting of the In-ternational Relations Club new officers were elected for the com-ing year. They are: Harriette Seely, president; Jean Huntington, Seety, president; Nancy Holladay, vice-president; Nancy Holladay, secretary; and Marjorle Erickson, treasurer. Plans are discussed for the club's activities next year. The meeting was adjourned with

a farewell speech by the retiring president, Nan Riley. All members of the International Relations Club and prospective members are urged to contact the new officers regarding plans for

Members Honored; Officers Elected

The new members of Cap and Gown, honorary society, were guests of honor at a breakfast given them by the old members at given them by the out members at the Stratford Hotel on Wednesday, May 10. A short business meeting followed, at which time the 1950-51 officers were elected. They are Jane Gregg, president; Dot Belden, vice president; Blanche Schiller, secretary; and Nancy Leonard, treestreet.

On Friday, May 12, the men served as guides to a group of high school students who toured Fred-ericksburg and visited the college.

BUY II. S. SAVINGS BONDS

CLUB ACTIVITIES

FRENCH CLUB HOLDS RECEPTION

Le Cercle Francais of Mary Washington College recently held a reception in the Dome Room of Seacobeck Hall. This event proved Seacobeck Hall. This event proved to be one of the outstanding projects sponsored by the club this year. Receiving the members of Le Cercle Francais and guests from the Department of Romance Languages were Betty Harpine, president; Barbara Cable, vice-president; Mrs. Brawner Bolling, sponsor; Dorothy Gravatt, secretary; and Annette Webb, Treasurer. The refreshment table was adorned with arrangements of spring flowers, and the fleurs de lis motif was carried out in the party mints and the tiny cakes, which

were included among the refresh- | Contest Stages ments. Those who called during the appointed hours were enter-tained by Dr. Milton Stansbury, who played a variety of selections on the piano.

CANTERBURY ACTIVITIES

gogs and marshmanows the gris played bascball, hiked, or sang. Captain Lesley E. Richardson, U. S. N. retired, spoke to the Can-terbury Club last Sunday. He is the Executive Director of Church Society for College Work and told

Model Search

Jon Whitcomb, magazine illustrator, is conducting a contest in search of four girls to be models for his illustrations.

The winners will receive an all-expense-paid week trip to New York, modeling fees of \$100 a day for three days, \$100 for incidental expenditures, and the original of the Whitcomb painting.

the Whitcomb painting.

Application blanks may be obtained in jewelry stores and must be accompanied by a picture. The entrants will be judged by a board of judges and Jon Whitcomb on the basis of natural charm and attractiveness, and the winners will be announced in July.

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RADIO SPEAKS

By N. W.

This year marks the seventh anniversary of the establishment of WMWC at Mary Washington Col-lege. Throughout these years, the radio station has provided training radio station has provided training in all phases of radio for many interested students, and it has served its listeners with programs of entertainment and enlightenment. From WMWC's control ment. From WMWC's control room to other stations and agen-cies have gone WMC graduates. These graduates who have gone in-to the radio field have probably informed their employers at one time or another that they had had experience working with an Inter-collegiate Broadcasting System station while at Mary Washing-

What is IBS and what services does it offer? The Intercollegiate Broadcasting System, with which WMWC became affiliated five years ago, was established in 1940, and is an association of college campus broadcasting stations located throughout the country. The system has grown to include 73 stations from coast to coast (as of February, 1950) with combined student staffs of about three thousand students. Many of these people enter the broadcasting industry each year.

IBS was established for the purpose of pooling the resources of college stations in order to en-courage and further the development of college radio in this country. It is a non-profit organization with all executives serving as non-salaried volunteers, controlled entirely by the campus stations and financed through their annual dues. The administrative person-nel of IBS includes undergradu-ate members, faculty advisers, and alumni of stations within the system. The Board of Directors consists of a number of persons well-known in broadcasting and educational circles.

Among the services which IBS offers to its affiliates are: maintenance of transcription and script libraries, distribution of technical information and ASCAP lists, and the publication of bulletins, news-

the publication of bulletins, news-letters, and handbooks on various aspects of radio.

Such is the affiliation of our own WMWC. Our station limits its broadcasting to dormitories, as is true with all other IBS stations which also extend signals to fra-ternity and sorority houses.

WMWC broadcasts on 590 kc, and transmits now with a newly-in-stalled 100-wat transmitter. Op-erations this year have been un-der the direction of Nancy Stacey as Station Manager, assisted by As Station Manager, assisted by Anne McClerkin, Program Man-ager and newly-elected Station Manager for 1950-51; Martha Carr, Chief Engineer; Chichi Thompson, Continuity Director; Sarah Miles, Production Manager; Ruth Stess, Record Librarian; Helen Chiies,

Artist Bureau Director; and Nat Wilton, Publicity Director. During the summer Chichi wili be attending the TV Radio Workshop at New York University. Shirley Cole, a senior music major, enters the TV field in August at WOIC as Assistant Public Relations director of CBS television

for the District of Columbia.

The Mike Club and staff have not by any means been idle this year. Besides "programming" our station for four days a week, and writing and producing weekly Sat-urday shows over the local Fredurday shows over the local Fredericksburg station, an American Broadcasting System affiliate, members have managed to gain first-hand information by touring various radio and TV centers in Washington. The opportunity to obtain a 3rd Class radiotelephony (operator's) license presented itself to radio enthusiasts on the campus this spring. The WMC Record Sale is being sponsored by the Mike Club, and to date, 266 students have requested copies of this record which is now being this record which is now being pressed in Hollywood and wili be returned to us later this month. Staff members of WMWC are still



WMWC Staff - 1949-50

Left to right: Chichl Thompson, Continuity Director; Nancy Stacey, Station Manager; Sarah Miles, Froduction Manager; Ruth Stess, Record Librarian; Anne McCierkin, Program Manager; Heichles, Arits Bureau Director; Nat Wilton, Publicity Director; Martha Carr, Chief Engineer; In front: Mrs. Mildred B. Sollenberger, Director of Radio.

Ida And Wallace Tell How College Has Grown

There are no two figures on There are no two figures on our campus who are as much a tradition of the college as our own Ida and Wallace. No one who has been here for even the shortest length of time can leave without becoming acquainted with these persons, who are brother and sister.

Ida has been here, in Virginia Hail, for 27 years and, in her own words, "will be here for 27 more if I live." When she became employed at the college there were only three buildings on campus— Monroe Hall, Willard and Virginia, in the order in which they were They were quite different

then from what they are now.

Coilege has Grown

In Willard was the dining hail,
the laundry, infirmary, and some dormitory rooms. The library, of-fices, and pariors were in Vir-ginia and Mrs. Bushnell's office and apartment partment were on second Some student rooms were floor. on this floor, also, and more on third. At this time Virginia was only about a third as large as it now. It was first erected in 1914,

the second unit was added in 1926, and completed in 1934. The enrollment of the college can be described as just as large "as a big family." Then the students lived all four years in one dormitory and now, as Ida says, "I no sooner get to know them than they leave me."

G. W. Pillar
Wallace, who is the pillar of
George Washington Hali, has
been connected with the college
for 32 years. Until 1939, when he became head janitor at G. W., he drove a school bus for the col-lege. Now his job is to "open and

making individual records for any one who wants anything recorded. These blank records are available in the C Shoppe at a cost of 75c, and the cost of recording is 25c. and the cost of recording is 26c.
Probably the two most important events at the studio this year
have been the Madame Pandit
Program of two weeks ago, and
the UN Program of last October, both of which were picked up by WRNL in Richmond and tran-scribed for Voice of America in

scribed for Voice of America in the studio.

WMWC is well on its way toward furthering the interests of the Intercollegiate Broadcasting System. It should primarily exist for the interest of, and entertainment for you, the students, and it is sincerely hoped by the radio students of this year that 1950-51 will see a newly-organized, active campus radio station here at Mary Washington.

We thank you all for "standing by,"

ing, deliver mail, and just see that everything is done "as it should be." Unlike Ida, he is thinking of retiring in two or three years, but it is certainly hard to visualize that building without this nice, polite old man moving about up there. At all the formal dances he is on hand, attired in his blue uniform, iooking "as he does in the new mural placed in G. W. only three weeks ago.

Everyone who has attended M. W. C. and all who are here now will agree that these two people create some of the most pleasant memories of Mary Washington. Their kindness toward the ing, deliver mail, and just se

ington. Their kindness toward the students and their love for the college is shown by their deeds and is seen in their friendly faces.

If you want to make people be-eve what they otherwise wouldn't, lieve what the just whisper.

Junior saw a very unusual West-ern last Saturday—Instead of an Indian biting the dust, he goes out and bites another Indian.

Uncle Willie is broken hearted. He opened a hand laundry and then discovered that most people

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Advice Given To Ward Off Polio

The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, noting that Infantile Faraysis, noting their polio is striking an increasing number of teen-agers and young adults, issued a message today calling for observance of simple health precautions by college students during the hot polio months first shead. just ahead

just ahead.

Dr. Hart E. Van Riper, medical director of the National Foundation, said that a spot survey of the 1948 polio epidemic showed 25 percent of the patients were over 15 years of age. Of this total, 18 percent were over 20 years. Local chapters have assisted hundreds of college-age polio patients during the past year.

the past year.

"Only 3.7 percent of the patients were over 15 years of age in 1916, he said. 'This figure rose to seven percent in 1931 and 15 percent in 1944.

The National Foundation listed five basic precautions for the May-to-December epidemic danger season. Dr. Van Riper said they are based on the March of Dimes agency's extensive research pro-gram and the findings of health departments, physicians and ho pital officials. These are the r

departments, physicians and hospital officials. These are the recommended precautions:

Recommendations Made
Keep children with their own friends—Keep them away from persons they have not been with right along, especially in close, daily living. Dr. Van Riper said many persons have a polio infection without showing any signs of sickness, yet may pass it on to others.

Try not to get over-tired-if you

Try not to get over-tired—if you have the virus in your system, he said, becoming exhausted may ported by the annual bring on serious polio symptoms. Keep from getting chilled—Chilling also can lessen your protection, he said; don't bathe or swim too iong in cold water and take off wet clothing quickly. Keep Clean—Wash hands carefully before eating and always after using the toilet. Hands may carry the polio infection into the body through the mouth. Also keep

Freshmen Choose Teaching

New Brunswick, N. J.—(I. P.)— There shouldn't be a teacher-short-age by 1953, if the freshman class at New Jersey College for Women is any indication. According to a "future vocation" survey of fresh-men on this campus, teaching at-tracts over 35 per cent of the class of 379 students. New Brunswick, N. J .- (I. P.)

of 379 students.
Of the 133 girls indicating that they plan to teach after graduation, 55 did not specify which subjects they prefer; 15 indicated English; 13, music; 10, home economics; 6, mathematics; 4 each, of dramatics and history.
Second career choice, favored by almost 16 per cent of the class, was journalism. Laboratory research and home economics rank almost

journalism. Laboratory research and home economics rank almost equal as third choices.

food clean and covered.

Match for early signs of sick-ness.—Some of the symptoms list-ed are headache, sore throat, up-set stomach, sore muscles, sift neck and back, fever and trouble neck and back, fever and trouble in swallowing or breathing. Persons coming down with polio may feel nervous, cross or dizzy.

What To Do About It

In the event polio does strike, these steps were recommended:
Call your doctor at once and, until he comes, keep the patient quiet, in bed and away from others.

If the diagnosis is polio, Dr. Van Riper advised, the local chap-ter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis should be call-

ed.
"Polio is a very expensive disease to treat," he said, "but no patient need go without care for lack of funds. You pay what you can afford and your chapter, supported by the annual March of Dimes, will pay the cost of care you cannot meet."

you cannot meet."

He warned that there is no "quick cure" for polio and no way as yet to prevent it.
"With good care, most people get well, although some need treatment for a long time," he added. "More than half the persons who get the disease recover without any cripoling."

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Hubbel Writes Article

Miss Josephine Hubbel, a mem of the physical education de partment here at Mary Washing-ton, recently had an article pub-lished in the "Journal of American Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation and Recreation." The selection is entitled "Spin on Balls."

Averages Based On Credits Earned

Atlanta, Ga.—(I. P.)—Scholas tic averages in colleges based upon credit hours scheduled are in gen-eral smaller than those based upon eral smaller than those based upon credit hours earned, according to Horace W. Sturgis, associate reg-istrar at Georgia Institute of Tech-nology. He declares that this dif-ference is due to the fact that whenever a failing grade is re-corded for a given course the num-ber of hours scheduled has been increased, but the failing grade has contributed no quality points.

Based on data derived from the records of 2,228 Georgia Tech stu-dents, Sturgis concludes that the selection of a scholastic average selection of a scholastic average based upon credit hours earned, as a minimum requirement for gradu-ation, is more in keeping with a system of grading, which defines the grade of "C" as the grade for "satisfactory" quality of work.

"A scholastic average," he says based upon credit hours earned is a measure of positive achievement in a field of study and is not in-fluenced negatively by a failure to nuenced negatively by a failure to achieve above a given point, known as passing. In other words, the scholastic requirements for a degree may be based upon measures of positive achievement without the influence of some province. of positive achievement without the influence of some previous negative achievements. Changing the method of computing scholastic averages does not necessitate any change in the academic standards at an institution because standards are established and maintained in the individual classrooms and lab-

Typical (?) Morning Start Annapolis Week-End Report Announces Testing Methods

day; you don't have to stay in the boring bed; you can go to class. Get up right now, and take advantage of your opportunity. Just think what fun you'll have, while I have to sit all day on the dresser in this dull dorm, ticking away the hours. Tick . . tock . . . tick tock!

Ah . . ha! Don't close that cye again; playing possum will get you again; playing possum will get you nowhere. I know you're awake, so you'il have to listen to me. Why sleep here in that hard old bed when you can be snoozing in a congenial Chandler classroom? With a seat on the front row you're in the perfect spot for a nap. Why, the best possible way to make an 'A'' in any subject is to let the professor know that he's accomplishing his objective. And everyone knows that any lecturer's main objective is to put his audi-out sleeping power here you'il have no snoozes left for class.

That's it. Hop out of bed. Now

That's it. Hop out of bed. Now what are you going to the closet for? Surely you're not getting dressed. I saw Suzy across the hail leaving for Chemistry in her pajamas, but since you spent the stock is those blue jeans you might. pajamas, but since you spent the night in those blue jeans you might as well go in them. I know the teachers prefer plys, but I'm sure dungarees would do just as well. Put on a skirt and sweater and you'll spoil the entire picture. Imagine dressing for class. What a misfit you'd be without your alarm clock to advise you. Hey, put down that uncut fruit.

Hey, put down that uncut fruit you swiped from the dining hall. I realize that I wasn't successful in getting you up for breakfast

tive rank of the individual student the individual classrooms and laboratories."

Another important point brought out by the study is that the rela-

Sound blouse

Sleeping Beauty just stirred at the kiss...

What woke her up was really this:

but I'm not going to have a spoiled appetite on your hands. Besides, didn't you tell me that your eight-thirty professor aiways passed out thirty professor always passed out coffee and doughnuts at the beginning of the period? I thought so! That's why I'm thankful you decided to bring us to this college; nothing starts the day off better than eating in class. Even if hê doesn't come through this morning, you can buy a candy bar in the "C" shoppe. The smell of chocolate and the rattle of paper are two necessities for any lecturer's peace of mind. And since you're going that way you might turer's peace or minu. And since you're going that way you might as well take back those dishes. I saw you sneaking in with rolls and milk last night. No money for a candybar? Oh, borrow a nickel from one of the profs, they always have plenty of loose change for anybody. anybody.

Don't reach for that Chesterfield Don't reach for that Unesterried.
Will you ever learn to be economical? That cigarette has to last you all afternoon. Five minutes and you'll be in class where there are free cigarettes to burn. Who was it? . . . Oh, yes, Doctor X devided that the best way to take it? . . . Oh, yes, Doctor X decided that the best way to keep students from taking notes was to give them some other diversion. He made the school recoversion. give them some other diversion. He made the school pass out free ciggyboos in every class to keep the girls occupied. Oh, you don't like his brand. Well, take that single cig with you and smoke it in a restful atmosphere rather than here in this hole.

than here in this hole.

Now what are you waiting for?

You're afraid of men! I suppose you'll just have to get used to having them in class after all these years. Personally I think it was a stupendous idea importing them from U. Va. to give you gals an incentive to work. They improve the scenery, too!

prove the scenery, too!
Look at my face! I get a rather
backwards view of the times but
don't my hands point to eighttwenty-nine. Then, you'd better
hurry or you'il miss part of the
invigorating discussion and part
of your sleep. Before you go
what's that in your hand? A book!
How many times have I told you
teachers frown, morn cirls who ti during French. O.K. No in-structor would mind that. They always like you well pre-occupied with other things. That way you'll disagree with anything they have

to say.
Yes, you've got everything,—
your knitting, your one cigarette,
your novel. Yes, you look fine,
I'm sure your dungarees will be the

I'm sure your dungarees will be the best looking in class.

Now what? You've decided to cut like a foolish child. Since you have to go to class at least one day a week . . . this is as good as any, as you're unprepared and unfed. No, get going. Goodbye.

Boy, am I glad she's gone. The things an alarm clock has to do to get it's owner to class. I hope she doesn't get into trouble from my advice.

nv advice.

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By PAT LANCASTER

Your three-hour bus ride is at Your three-hour bus ride is at last over. As the bus joggles into the cramped space called the bus station, you look panic strickenly out of the window into the haze of blue. Where is he? He said he'd meet the bus. He must be here! They all look alike! Finally one of the blobs of blue becomes clear, and he salutes you. You nervously begin together your various packages and bundles together (it's a shame your evening dress didn't fit in your suitcase). You didn't fit in your suitcase). You straighten your seams and hastily didn't the straighten your seams and have comb your hair. The bus jerks to a sudden stop. You manage to a sudden stop the bus with your spending a sudden stop. struggle off the struggle off the bus with your suitcase (no, you're not spending a week), and breathe a sigh of re-lief when he takes it (no, it doesn't weigh a ton). "Double time," he says, and as you hobble down says, and as you hobble down King George Street (I told you not to wear heels on these side-walks). Your week-end at Navy has begun.

Probably Stay in Quaint Home

He takes you to your room in one of the "quaint" old houses that are part of the town of An-napolis. You go to your room, hang up your dress (may not have to press it). You are speedy 'cause you know that time waits for no one, especially Navy time.

You're' off again (not through 'Bilger's gate) to one of the many athletic events. From baseball (at athletic events. From baseour (at one end of the yard) to lacross (at the other), to crew (about two miles away), and track (two miles back). Finally comes the informal at Smoke Hall. Sweet relief to sit down, or so you thought, for in a few minutes, there you are danc-ing, or doing the latest Navy rage, square dancing. The music slows down, and gets dreamy. A clang of belis interrupts your has thoughts. "Rormation," yells one. "6:30 already?" You happy You herded into the Reception room with all the other drags, and pass the time while the Navy checks up on her sons. Soon he is back, dressed for the evening, which means he changed to a bow tie and

Rush, Rush, Rush!

Back to your room, where you find that your roommate for the night has arrived. You help each night has arrived, you neip each other dress madly, while the boys call the minutes. You breathlessly run into the room. He smiles, "Don't clutch, stay loose, we've got lots of time!"

You rush over to one of the restaurants for a fast meal. "The crabs are always good." As soon as you finish eating, rush, rush, rush to Dahlgren Hall for the hop. The gym has miraculously been transferred into a ball room. The bleachers are folded up, and the colored lights, with the Navy bleachers are folded up, and the colored lights, with the Navy band, add a festive air. Between dances you have a cigarette in the smoker and some of the inevitable cherry punch. All too soon, a lone trumpet plays the first few notes of Sleepytime Gal. A hush falls over the hall. Then FII See You In My Dreams and Goodinght Sweetheart are followed by NAVY BLUE AND GOLD, then the drums roll and every one stands at atternal

BLUE AND GOLD, then the drums roll and every one stands at attention for The Star-Spangled Banner. The hop is over. Hop liberty begins. "Forty minutes, Gentlemen." So Many Men at Once On Sunday you go to Chapel. It is one of the most impressive sights to see the Brigade of Midshipmen march into the Chapel while the band is playing Onward Christian Soldlers. At the close of

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Princeton, N. J.—(I.P.)—The development of new measures of aptitude and personality to aid in counseling, selection, and guidance are among the most promising currently and the contractions of the contraction rent activities of testing research, Henry Chauncey, president of Ed-ucational Testing Service, stated in his first Annual Report, issued recently.

There are three lines of advance that seem particularly promising, he declared. "The first is the de-velopment of an extensive battery velopment of an extensive battery of aptitude tests to aid in educational and vocational counseling. The second is the development of measures of important aspects of personality which will help in selection and guidance. Even more important, they will focus greater attention in our educational system on personal qualities which have been largely subordinated to the intellectual. Finally, there is the development of effective measures, tests, rating scales, inventories, or other systems for measuring and other systems for measuring and recording observations of behavior, and of the fundamental objectives of education, objectives that are not related to particular courses or subjects, but which are comon to several or all of them

"Each of these lines of advance is being explored at the present time and there is reasonable ex-pectation that useful instruments will be devised which can be made generally available within the next three to ten years. It may be worth while to comment briefly on each of the three areas of investigation. "Just before, during, and since the war numerous factor-analysis.

studies of aptitude and other tests were made. The design and technique of these studies is aimed at getting at the independent factors involved in mental activity or in some aspect of it. During the past year, Dr. J. W. French has collected the sixty-odd such studies that have been reported, for the purpose of providing a basis for further ad-vance by the ETS Research De-

vance by the ETS Research Department and other researchers over the country.

"The preliminary draft of this report has been distributed to those known to be interested in this work. The final report is to be issued as a Psychometric Monograph. Some factors seem to be fairly well established, others are in the probable category, and still other areas are clearly in need of other areas are clearly in need of further research. A staff commit-tee is in process of designing and constructing an experimental battery of tests covering fifteen fac-tors. It has also delimited seven areas for special studies. Within three years the experimental battery should be refined sufficiently

tery should be refined sufficiently to make it available for general use. This battery will then be re-vised periodically on the basis of subsequent research.

"The personality area is, at the present time, far less structured. There is nothing approaching un-animity regarding the aspects of personality which are of greatest significance. But out of the notable significance. But out of the notable work that has been done in recent work that has been done in recent years in psychology, anthropology, and sociology, there are a number of promising hypotheses that are worth testing, and it is only by (Continued on page 8)

the service, the Midshipmen Choir sings, as the benediction, the Navy hymn, Eternal Father, Strong To Save. The boys leave Chapel, form, and are dismissed. You have a fev minutes together before he is off again to the stirring noon meal formation, complete with drum and bugle corps

Finally, Free Time Finally, Free Time
Then the afternoon is yours.
After you eat, there is always
sailing in one of the yawls or
knockabouts, a movie, or maybe, a
picnic and cross-country hike.

Before it seems possible, you find yourself boarding the bus in the same small bus sation. "Bye bye," he says, and salutes you as the bus turns the corner. With dreams of the next weekend to come, you smile sadly on your way back to school. Ah, the life of Navy Tech!

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» Personality of the Week »

I'm terribly sorry, but for the life of me, I couldn't find a "personal-ity" at all this week. So, I think I'll give out with some good ole inside dope on a place we hate when we're sick, but love when we have tests for which we haven't studied—the infirmary.

This noble establishment boasts a staff of five (at least that was correct last week) which includes Dr. Whitticar and four nurses. The best way to tell you about this is to let you live it yourself. No, I don't mean go out and grab your-self a cold, just let your imagina-tion wander. Here it is Monday morning, 7:30, and you've just morning, awakened.

You feel awful! Your head aches your throat is sore, your eyes are puffy and you are just one big ache and pain all over. You think: "Hangover?" But no, you're still at MWC, so you decide it's—flu? Yes, that's it, flu. You manage to get dressed and by 8:20 you're. get dressed and by 8:30 you're on

get dressed and by 8:30 you're on your way to "commit" yourself to the infirmary.

The first person you see is—no, you see lots of persons first, waiting just as you are. They look like "death warmed over" too, so you sit down and moan with them.
Then you see the nurse, Mrs. Tack-ler, motioning to you to come it. ler, motioning to you to come in.
She asks you what's the matter
and then promptly pops a thermometer in your mouth. After about 10 minutes it's taken out and, hmmmmm—100°. Then she brings out a stick at least 12 inches long, dips the cotton end into something which looks like mercurochrome, and you feel 10 inches of the 12 disappearing down your throat. Mrs. Tackler then gives you ample time to spurt, cough, sputter, gag, and choke and then says "you had better go to bed." You then go to the telephone, wait 30 minutes for someone to answer the 'phone in the dorm, and finally get your roommate. She agrees to trot over with the few little things you request: your toothbrush, toothpaste, towel, wash cloth, soap, comb, brush, make-up, bobby pins, pen, ink, sattionery, books, Joe's last letter, Joe's picture, pajamas, slippers, VPI animal, magazines, and oh yes, if those few things aren't too much to carry, she might bring the radio too. the radio too.

The nurse then shows you to a two-girl room on second floor. Both beds are empty and you col-Both beds are empty and you col-lapse on one to wait for your "stuft." After it comes, you un-dress and get in bed, fall asleep, and have beautiful gory night-mares of pencils with mercuro-chrome for erasers, and people with thermometers sticking out of their ears. Then a voice says, "here's lunch." You awaken to find some apparatus these says. find some asparagus, cheese, soup, bread, hot chocolate, and an ice cream sandwich staring you in the cream sandwich staring you in the face. Oh well, you weren't very hungry anyway. You pick at the food a little, and then lie down again. As you fall asleep you remember all those nights you "partied" until mid-night back at the dorm and all the rest you could catch up on now.

At 3:00 Miss Tremble, plus thermometer, plus thermometer, plus thermometer.

mometer, plus throat swab, plus nose drops and plus—oh no!!! a needle a mile long, comes in. She needie a mile long, comes in. She smiles and says sweetly, "turn over, fair one." You oblige and then —oh yes, as I was saying, she swabs your throat, gives you drops and as she leaves informs you that this same procedure will occur every three hours.

every three hours.

You then decide you don't feel too well so you lie and wait for supper and then lie and wait for "lights out" at 9:00. At this time you are greeted by the night nurse, Miss Rhombus, whom you have the honor of seeing all during the night at 12:00, 3:00, and 6:00.

The next day dawns at 7:00 (for yeu) when Mrs. Tackler and thermometer again greet you. At 9:30 your ever-faithful roommate trud-ges over with no less than three letters for you. She stands outside the window and you scream back

and forth for a few minutes before Mrs. Tackler finally calls you

This day passes with the same This day passes with the same schedule of nose drops, throat swabs, fruit juices, and needles. Oh yes, one different thing happens: you get a roommate. This makes you very happy 'cause now there is someone you can talk to. Oh, just one thing, she has laryngitis and can't say a word. At 9:00 tonight a different night nurse arrives, Miss Thankin, whom you get to know quite well in the course of the night.

to know quite well of the night.

The third day your friend feels better and she can whisper to you and Dr. Whitticar, on her morning savs if your temperature and Dr. Whitticar, on her morning round says if your temperature stays down you can leave the next day. You're very pleased over that, and what's more, at 6:00 p. m. that day the needles quit coming around. So, that night you sleep well and dream of being "free" the next day.

next day.

But, oh woe!!! On Thursday your temperature is up to 98° and you realize you're doomed to stay another day. By 10:30 a. m. on Friday, you have read every magazine, visited every room, sat on every bed, looked in every medicine cabinet and unstructure. cine cabinet and written 12 let-ters. By 10:35 you are telling everyone goodbye and on your way back to catch another cold.

Professionals Speak At News Convention

Madison, Wis. — Editors and business managers of 13 top col-lege dailies met to discuss common problems at the third annual University Newspaper convention sponsored by the Daily Cardinal, April 6, 7, and 8.

April 6, 7, and 8.

The colleges, represented by 46 delegates, included the University of Michigan, Michigan State, Wayne University, Ohio State, University of Iowa, University of Illinois, Northwestern University, Temple University, Pennsylvania State College, University of Colorado, Cornell University, University of California, and UCLA.

The purpose of the convention was to enable editorial and business staffs from various parts of

was to enable editorial and business staffs from various parts of the country to compare their problems and discuss solutions. Representatives of the professional field were invited as the keynote speak-

Guests Welcomed
Frof. Ralph Nafziger, director
of the University of Wisconsin
Journalism school, welcomed the
guests in the opening session. Graham Hovey, former foreign correspondent and present journalism
instructor. described some of bits respondent and present journalism instructor, described some of his personal reporting experiences. William P. Steven, assistant executive editor of the Minneapolis Tribune and former Cardinal editor, represented a metropolitan daily. daily

University professors from the Education school and the political science department conducted an editorial resource panel on federal aid to education to provide back-ground information on the subject to the editors. Technical aspects of the college dailies was discussed by representatives from the Fair child Camera and Instrumen Corporation

Officers Present

Officers of the National Student Association were present at the discussion groups and a representative of the National Advertising Service met with the business

The Daily Cardinal was chosen s host for the third convention

as host for the third convention when the college newspapers met at Pennsylvania State College last spring. The first convention was held by Michigan State.

The arrangements for the conference were handled by Pat Falter, personnel director of the Cardinal. Assisting her were Jane and Jean Loper and Carol Towers, members of the staff.



B. Mack Accepted For 'Common Glory'

Bobbi Mack, freshman from Baldwin, New York, has recently been offered a part in the "Common Glory" which will begin in Williamsburg on July 1 and run through September 16.

Bobbi, who will have one of the six women's speaking parts, has been very active in dramatics since she came to Mary Washington. A member of the Players, she had a part in "The Women" and has worked behind stage on the other plays.

plays.
"I am really very much surprised and thrilled," said Bobbi. She added that she has already met some of the people connected with the the people connected with the 'Glory" in Williamsburg, and that she is looking forward to working

Ada Dodrill, who is also a Fresh man, and Eddie Tompkins are both in the Ballet Corps for the produc-tion.

Comprehensive Exams Continue At Barnard

Continue At Barnard

New York, N. Y.—(I. P.)—Comprehensive major examinations, which have been given to all seniors at Barnard College since 1947, are still in a trial stage, but will be continued this year under a new time schedule in an effort to eliminate difficulties in administration and "hardship" among the students, according to an announcement by Dean Millicent C. Mc-Intosh.

The examination, which surveys The examination, which surveys material studied in a chosen field over the entire four-year college course, is described by Dean Mc-Intosh as "an effective educational device." Seniors are, at present, also required to take some specific course examinations, particularly in subjects outside of their major field.

Under the new schedule, seniors Under the new schedule, seniors will no longer be excused from classes during the final week of the term, but classes for all students will end a few days earlier, this year on Saturday, May 20. Course examinations will begin Tuesday afternoon, May 23, giving at least three free days in which to prepare for the first tests.

Major examinations will be scheduled at the end of the general examination period. Previously the comprehensive major examinations were given first, and students complained that they had too little time to realize four recognitions. will be complained that they had too little time to review four years' work. The proposal to introduce major comprehensive examinations was first accepted by the Barnard Faculty in 1940, but the tests were not actually given until 1947. Final decision on their success and con-tinuance at Barnard will be made by the Faculty next fall.

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Marilyn Hughes attended a Sig-a Chi house party from the ma Chi house party from the Univ. of N. C. last weekend at Myrtle Beach, S. C. Hannah Lou Southwell attended the Orchids at Franklin and Marshall last week end, dating Charlie

Molly Bettcher dated at RPI Troy, N. Y. for Solree Week and. She was dating a Delta Phi. Eddie Simon attended dances at

Eddie Simon attended dances at Union College in Schenectedy, N. Y. Ralph Flanagan and his or-chestra furnished the music. Betty Meriweather, Susie Bran-ner and Marian Davis attended the Ring Dance at Va. Tech last weak and

eek end.
Connie Konopantoes visited he

Connie Konopantoes visited her sister in Winston-Salem, N. C. last week end, and attended the christening of her nephew. Those dating at Annapolis re-cently include Pat Lancaster, Polly Fenn, Clare Sindlinger, "Lize" Gary, Fran Baker and Joyce Dav-enport, Peggy Sherman and Mary Baxter Sigler. Betav Smith attended a frat

Betsy Smith attended a frat dance at the Univ. of Md. last

week end.

B. J. Snidow visited Gaynelle
Parrish in Emporia, Va., last week end.

Best wishes to Libby Custer and Suzanne Molladay, who recent-ly received diamonds. Also to Char-

and Suzanne Molladay, who recently received diamonds. Also to Charlotte Massey, who received a Va. Tech minature during Easter.

A few of the girls who have recently been home are: Judy Graves, Charlottesville. Jean Tomko, Suffolk: Barbara Waskey, Lynchburg; Bev Steele, Richmond; Jane Yoe, Baltimore; Nancy Speck, Dorothy Smith, Norfolk; Jane Betty Ann Utz, Barboursville; Madelyn Doyle McKenny; and Pat Payne, Petersburg.

Couples that were seen on the campus for May Day week end: Frances Minnick and Nickie Carter (U. Va.); Nancy Tate and Paul Slawson (Bullis Prep School); Jo Ridgely and Leonard Dicky (Bullis Prep School), Jann Page Lawson and Bill Rogers (Duke); Ginny Pierce and Bill Scott (Duke); Ginny Pierce and Bill Rogers (Duke); Ginny Pierce and Bill Maddox and Dave.

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Columbus, O.-(I.P.) Columbus, O.—(I.P.)—Fratern-tites and sorvities at Ohio State University are seeking to deter-mine the attitudes and beliefs about them on the part of alumni, parents and the general public. Recently some 200 teams of fraternity and sorority members in uernity and sorority members in-terviewed some 2,000 persons in Columbus, using as the basis of the interviews a questionnaire, drafted by the Public Relations Committee of the Council of Fra-ternity Presidents and Panhellenic Association. ociation.

In addition, the committee mailed more than 1,000 questionnaires to alumni of the 51 social fraternties and 22 sororities on the cam-pus and parents of members. When all questionnaires are turned in, it is expected that the committee will have expressions of opinion from more than 3,000 persons.

The project is part of an overall public relations program aimed at correcting faults in the fraternity system, correcting erroneous be-liefs about fraternities and sorr-tites, and developing constructive projects and programs. Results of the survey, it is hoped, will help the college group in planning a more effective public relations program.

Room and Board Rates Raised

St. Cloud, Minn.-(I. P.)-Rates St. Cloud, Minn.—(I. P.)—Rates for room and board at all dormitories on the campus of the local State Teachers College have been increased ninety cents per week, according to an announcement by President J. H. Headley. He attributed the necessity for the advance in rates to the new ten per cent gross receipts charge for a wante in races to the new car yet cent gross receipts charge for a Minnesota State Dormitory Bulld-ing Fund which became effective July 1, 1949.

July 1, 1949.

Dr. Headley explained that all the boarding and rooming facilities at the college have been operating at a net loss for the current year. Last year the Minnesots State Teachers College board authorized the colleges to increase rates as much as 90 cents per week in case a deficit appeared certain. The raise was not made at that time on this campus, since the dormitories could be operated on the prevailing rates.

The State Lagislature passed.

The State Legislature passed a law requiring that ten per cent of all gross receipts in dormitories and cafeterias be paid to the State Treasurer, to be credited in a dormitory building fund to pay for construction of new dormitories. New buildings were authorized for State Teachers Colleges at Bemidji and Mankato Mankato

The ten per cent gross fe ceeds the margin upon which the St. Cloud facilities had been op-erating. It is estimated that approximately \$30,000 will have to be paid into the Building Fund this year from the St. Cloud activities.

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By Betsy Fletcher, W

The last Saddle Soap of the year! It doesn't seem possible. We hadn't realized how near it was to the end of school until just now.

realized flow leaf it was enemd of school until just now.

It has been a full year with all the shows, picnics, drills, the possum hunt, and finally all those wonderful Sundays. It is too bad more of you couldn't have enjoyed those Sundays with us as we worked a little, rode a little, played a little and ate a lot. As the final fing for the riders and in a way, in honor of the seniors, Cavalry will hold an overnight hike May 20 and Hoof Prints will have their annual banquet May 18. Watch for the details concerning these two affairs.

affairs.

Here is one last tragic but still funny incident which some of you may have already heard about. When Mr. Waither took Barbara Barnam cross country with his advanced group Thursday, she lost her watch. Well, yesterday she and another girl went out looking for it and got lost in the woods. They were all right until they hit the stream over at Altoona. Then Barbara claims that she saw so many paths going out from there that she couldn't tell which one to follow. Barbara, thinking that she was right, was trailing the horses backwards. She thought that the round part of the hoofprint had been made by the heel of the horses hoof instead of his toes. That is how she got "mixed up." They had gone into the woods at 10:30 and the next time we saw them was about 3:15 that afternoon. They claim that they had climbed over jumps, barb-wire fences, waded through streams, walked through briar patches, etc. and they looked like it! Of course, the funniest the wy Barbara told it. They still Here is one last tragic but still like it! Or course, the thing about the whole event was the way Barbara told it. They still didn't find the watch, so if any of you are over by Altoona—please keep an eye out for it.

All of you have a nice summer and Betsy and I will see you again next year. Best of luck to the sen-iors!

Dr. Nancy Whitticar and Miss Mildred P. Stewart attended the sectional meetings of the American College Heaith Association at the Johns Hopkins University on May 12 and 13.

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Physical Education Reinstated As Major

Young women on campus with a leaning toward "the active life" now have a whole field of study open to them. As of this semester, a major program in Heaith, Physical Education, and Recreation has been reinstated in the curriculum at Mary Washington. This pro-gram leads to a Bacheior of Science degree, and is designed for young women interested in careers in this important field of present-day ife.

There are several different phases of study open within the field itself. The major may be taken with emphasis on sports, dance recreation, or physiotherapy. (The latter course works in close conjunction with continued study at the University of Virginia.) Stuthe University of Virginia.) Students who wish to prepare for teaching may elect the necessary courses to qualify for the Collegiate Professional Certificate, the highest teaching certificate issued in Virginia.

In addition to completing the courses required of all candidates

courses required of all candidates for the Bachelor of Science de-gree, students must compiete a major program of thirty-six credits major program of thirty-six credits in health, physical education, and recreation. The major is open not only to incoming freshmen, but also to sophomore students who have completed one year of general college work. This important field represents an area of collegiate study that offers lasting satisfactions and benefits to those who select it as a major. select it as a major.

Activities Regulated At Wilson College

Chambersburg, Pa.—(I. P.)—In an effort to cut down on inefficiency and overlapping functions among campus organizations, a committee at Wilson College has drawn up a list of resolutions and drawn up a list of resolutions and suggestions, after studying the constitutions and taiking to the leaders, both faculty and student. New regulations of student activities include the following:

1. As of March 25, all organiza-tions which wish to be active next year must turn in to the Student Council a constitution and application for a temporary charter. This, if granted by a two-third majority of the Council will be for one semester, at the end of which time a permanent charter may be grant-ed; but the constitution must be reviewed by the Council every three years at the end of first semester. On the basis of this review the Council may grant or re-fuse to grant, a renewal of the

(a) In considering constitutional revisions representatives from or revisions representatives from tr-ganizations which are similar (such as the language clubs, IRC and World Federaists) should meet together to discuss common interests and activities. Such discussions should make it possible to consolidate numerous activities. activities.

(b) Where actual merging of ac (b) Where actual merging of activities is impractical even on a temporary basis, it is strongly urged that the revised constitu-tions of the organizations with similar interests shall contain a specific clause for active cooperasimilar interests shall contain a specific clause for active coopera-tion. This may be effected by hav-ing representatives of one organi-zation sitting on the cabinet of the other. It is recommended that this representative be an underclass-man.

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RA ACTIVITIES

Miss Jean Brown, a junior from Swarthmore, Pennsylvania, Swarthmore, Pennsylvania, has been elected acting President of RA for this year's summer ses-sion. Congratulations, Jean; we know you'li do a grand job!

The scholarships to hockey camp, camp, sponsored by RA, have been warded this year to Misses Joan Foley and Polity Crossley, both freshmen. The dance scholarship is as yet unde-

Don't forget: Old-New Council Picnic, May 16, at 6:30.

RA Council is acting as editor for the month of May issue of the "Sportlight," the official publica-tion of the VAFCW. Material for this publication is obtained from Virginia, and copies will be dis-tributed to these colleges after

RA Councii would like to take this opportunity to try to express its deep and sincere appreciation to ail members of Old Council for the wonderful work they've done this year. Congratulation thank you for a grand job. Congratulations and

Folk Dance Club Organized at MWC

What's the latest addition to our fair campus? You haven't heard?
Weil, lend an ear—after all, this
could be your golden opportunity.
Perhaps you too can belong!—To
what?—The American Folk Dance Club, of course! It's a newly organized club here on the hill to promote a greater interest in folk dancing, and to give all of those who love to folk dance a weekly opportunity to do just that. Miss Stewart is sponsor, and the officers are Barbara Kimble, president; Pat are Barbara Kimble, president; Pat Moss, vice-president; and Jackie

Moss, vice-president; and Jackie Jones, secretary-treasurer.
The ciub's been busy this year and has big plans for next year including a lot of new dances, exhibition dancing, participation in the RA square dances, and even hopes to squeeze in a square dance party with U. Va.

The two most important membership requirements age: an ac-

bership requirements are: an active interest in folk dance, and one semester, or its equivalent, of instruction in folk dance. If you can struction in folk dance. If you can satisfy these requirements, you are eligible to apply for member-ship. So when you start getting that longing to do some folk dancing, and when you start look-ing around for a good club to join, keep in mind the American Folk Dance Club.

Nice Addresses R. A. Banquet

The annual Recreation Associa-tion Banquet was heid on Thurs evening, May 11, at the Fredday evening, May 11, at the Fred-ericksburg Country Club. The ban-quet-room, attractively decorated with flowers and candles, was filled to capacity with the fifty-some persons, members, and faculty, who attended the event. After a chicken dinner the group sang several songs, and the guest speaker, Miss Carolyn Nice, Con-sultant in Hospital Recreation with the Red Cross in Washington, D.

sultant in Hospital Recreation with the Red Cross in Washington, D. C., was introduced. Miss Nice spoke on Present Day Trends In Recreation," telling of the growth and advancement of the recreation and advancement of the rectation field, what is being done in the various phases of recreation, and educational leadership opportuni-

educational leadership opportunities that are open today.

The R. A. Council officers for next year were then introduced, the hockey scholarship awards were made, and Miss Nan Taylor, retiring president of R. A., was presented with a gift.

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Birdie Tournament Ends New Dance **General Sports Activities Members Elected**

The remaining players are now closing steadily into the quarter-finais of the Spring Badminton Tournament, thus finishing off general sports activities for the year. The following matches will

year. The following matches will be played off by Thursday, May 18: 1. Dot Beiden and Lucy Ring vs. Carol King and Diana Buckwalter. 2. T. Burnett and Audrey Smith vs. Pat Abernathy and Jean Park

3. Louise Larson and Eiizabeth Fitzgerald vs. Moliy Bettcher and

Marjorie Burton.

4. Nancy Richardson and Nell Jane Sosebee have aiready advanced into the quarter-finals.

which time new members were elected. They are Katherine King, June Mitcheii, Jo Anne Moderau Sarah Schroder, Anne Tailey, and Nancy Rutherford Williams. Plans were made to change the time of the Concert Dance Club meetings

The Concert Dance Club recent-

iy held a business meeting at

the Concert Dance Club meetings to 4:30 Monday, Wednesday and Friday and the Junior Dance Club to 4:30 Tuesday and Thursday.

On Saturday, May 13, a picnic was held at the Potomac home ef Mrs. Claudia Read, club sponsor, in honor of the new members and the graduating seniors.

1950 Job Outlook Clouded By Large Numbers of Graduates

With about 500,000 college stu-With about 500,000 conlegs sturdents graduating this year—the largest number in our country's history—the job outlook for the new college graduates is generally good. It is not, however as good as in 1947 and 1948.

The outlook is clouded by three factors: the large number of graduates who will be seeking jobs; a moderate increase in the total number of unemployed persons; and the filling of war-created shortages of coilege graduates in some specialized fields by the large graduating classes of 1948 and 1949.

Economy Strong
Basically, the economy of the
country is strong and there is a
general concensus that production
and empioyment will remain high
during 1950. However, the big
problem facing the economy is that of constantly providing more goods and services and utilizing fully a iabor force that is growing at the rate of 600,000 to 700,000 workers a year. Even if employment con-tinues during 1950 at about the same level as last year, as it is ex-pected to do, unemployment will increase and jobs will be harder to

Graduates seeking information on expanding industries or sections of the country need to remember this basic fact: most of the jobs this basic fact. Income of the jobs taken by this year's college gradu-ates will be, as usual, those which have been vacated by other workers. Deaths and retirements at the top of the occupational lad-der create the largest number of openings at the bottom.

openings at the bottom.

To emphasize that most job opportunities occur as a result of turnover is not to belittle the number that arise through expansion. Growing markets, technological improvements, and the development of new industries and additional services all create job openings for inexperienced workers with the proper training.

openings for inexperienced workers with the proper training.

West Coast Employment

Employment in certain parts of the country is growing more rapidly than in others in the long-run. This is true on the West Coast, the South Atiantic region and Texas. However, the supply of workers in some of these areas—the West Coast for example—has increased. Coast for example—has increase more rapidly than job opportuni-ties. Moreover, in rural areas of the country generally the need for workers in some of the professiona

workers in some or the processions fields is greater than in cities.

For many college graduates of the class of 1950, the fact that American industry is in a period of intense competition for markets of intense competition for markets will be the major reason for success in finding employment. Industry responds to competition by pushing advertising and sales efforts and by cutting production costs, streamlining operations, replacing obsolete equipment, and redesigning products and plants. These activities provide opportunities for professionally trained ties for professionally trained workers and for young and vigor-ous people with sales ability or imagination in the advertising

Situations Vary
General observations about conditions in the job market tend to

hide widely varying situations. Prospects are excellent in some oc-cupations, industries, and areas. In others, where wartime and postwar others, where wartime and postwar shortages have now been filled, many graduates will find it dif-ficult to get jobs. In teaching, for example, there is at once an acute shortage of per-sonnel in the elementary schools

and a growing oversupply at the high school level. For the current school year, only one elementary teacher was trained for every three who were needed. On the other hand, four times as many students completed training for high school teaching as were required.

Stiff Competition

Other professional fields in which stiff competition for jobs is expected in the next few years in-clude: law, journalism, and person-nel work. In engineering, the number of graduates will exceed the number of openings in the early 1950's; after the next 4 or 5 years, the employment situation for new graduates is likely to improve in chemistry, competition will be keen during the next few years among persons without graduate training; the outlook is better for those with

graduate degrees.

There will probably also be an oversupply of business administration graduates. A surplus of new graduates has already developed in the field of accounting. Liberal arts graduates with work

experience or specialized training will find it easier to get jobs than those with only a general under-graduate education.

Good Prospects

Good Prospects
Prospects for the new entrants
are good in health service occupations. There is a current shortage
of nurses, and demand for nursing
service will probably continue to
rise. In medicine and dentistry
those able to enter and complete
training will have good opportunities: however, competition is very ties; however, competition is very keen for admission to professional schools. In pharmacy the supply of new graduates has almost caught up with the demand; the profession may be over-crowded in the longrun if enrollments in pharmacy coi-leges continue at present high leveis. Good opportunities are expected also for other occupational groups important in health service, such as veterinarians, medical X-Ray technicians, medical labora-tory technicians, dental hygienists, physical therapists, occupational

therapists, and dictitians.

The picture facing this year's graduates is a mixed one. Business conditions as a whole are continu ing good. In spite of this high level of business activity, the growing labor force and growing productivity may well result in high levels of unemployment. The picture for job opportunities is equally mixed. Some occupations are oversupplied with graduates, and the competi-tion will be intense for the avail-able jobs. Other fields have a demand for jobs which far outweigh the available supply of trained peo-ple to fill those jobs. Those whose training iies in the crowded fields have several alternatives open to (Continued on Page 8)

The Bullet

Make Friends By Following 'The Golden Rule'

We're always in a hurry. When the bell rings we slam our books shut and shuffle our feet, hoping the professor will take the hint and dismiss class.

After class has been dismissed, we make a rush for the door. In the cafeteria we try to beat each other to the line.

other to the line.

So far today we've made two
enemics—and the day is only half
over. At this rate, we'll probably
have made five or six at the end
of the day. We intended to make friends when we came to college, but it doesn't look as if we're doing so well.
Isn't there

ing so well.

Isn't there some way we can stop making enemies and start making friends? Yes, as a matter of fact, there is. It's called the Golden Rule. "Do unto others as you would have others do unto you." That's all there is to it.

Also, we can drop a kind word here and there around campus to let people know that we are think-

let people know that we are trinsing about them. A cheerful "good morning" and a smile will help. It doesn't matter whether we're football players, chess champions, poker players, or just plain college students, the application of the Golden Rule will help us in our quest for friends. — The Golden Rod, Wayne State Teachers College Nehraskia. lege, Nebraska.

Living Alone ... And Liking It?

Which is better for a student:
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live with several other students?
Will the student study more and
get better grades in the first instance? Will be here a better

stance? Will he have a better time and develop a better social attitude in the second instance? We can think of advantages to

both. The student rooming by himself, we believe, will do more studying if he's the right type. If he cares little for horseplay,

If he cares little for horseplay, enjoys card games or group recreation only rarely, if he's a meticulous reader and thrives on long sessions with his homework in solitude, he'd probably be happler and do better work by himself. If he feels "lost" without someone to talk to, if he's a decided extrovert who's bored when by himself, if a room's silence gets on his nerves, if he learns quickly and has much time for varied activities, he'd better accumulate some cronies.

The question of which arrange-The question of which arrangement is beet is not easily answered, of course. Generally speaking, we feel that the slightly extroverted person is better adjusted and that the student living alone is missing something in his social life. At the same time, we realize that no two persons have the same tastes or-traits and that any one of you readers could find fault with our readers could find fault with our reasoning.-Ohio State Lantern.

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CURRENT **EVENTS**

By HARRIETTE SEELY

Democrats are pinning their hopes of increasing their House and Senate majorities on the pros-pects of a heavy vote in the current Congressional elections; ty leaders say a light vote

The United States has asked the Czech government to reduce its diplomatic staff in this country by two-thirds and to close its consulates in Cleveland and Pittsburg. This is the second in a series of retalitory moves made by our government against the current policies of the communist dominated government in Prague.

Some of the diplomats at the current London Conference of foreign ministers have expressed the belief that the Soviet Union is growing more and more militaris-tic and has accepted the idea of a shooting war as an alternative to the current economic and politi-cal struggle with the Western Powers.

The National Railway Mediation Board has held the first of a series of conferences in an effort to settle the four-day railroad strike that now affects five big roads and has thrown 200,000 mer

The United States will establish The United States will establish a new working agreement with Great Britain and perhaps later with other North Atlantic Pact nations in an effort to establish a more effective counter-propaganda policy in the "cold war" . . . Well that's great news, isn't it. Sees that this week's news can be summed up in a brief quote "Wars and rumors of wars"—know where I first read that?

Lecturer: "Three thousand and twenty-six elephants were needed last year to make billiard balls. Now, are there any questions?" Heckler: "Yes. How do they train the beasts to do such deli-cate work?"

Uncle Willie: "You boys starting out today expect too much. Do you know what I was getting when I married your aunt?" Cousin Roger: "No, and I bet you didn't either!"

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Larson Selected Posture Queen

Louise Larson was recently se-lected by RA as the Posture Queen of Mary Washington.

When asked how she felt as she walked up to the stage to receive her bouquet of spring flowers, Louise said "I was really surprised and pleased."

and pleased."

Louise is now living in Alexandria, but claims California as home. She transferred to M. W. C. from the University of Hawaii. Her major is Biology. Miss P. Q. Larson will serve as president of the Fencing Club and vice-president of Terrapin for next year.

1950 Job Outlook

(Continued from page 7)

them. First of all, they would be well advised to explore the possibilities of entering any fields closely allied to their field of primary interest, where there may be more openings. They should also explore the possibility of graduate training to equip themselves with more specialized skills.

It's all in the way you look at things. Getting the baby to sleep is hardest when she is about 18 years old.

Notice

Station WMWC wishes to enlarge its record library, as it is apparent that additional records for broadcasting could be Anyone who has old good records on hand and who wi to donate them to WMWC may do so by contacting Ruth Stess, Westmoreland 302. Any donations will be greatly appreciated.

Report Announces

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quantitative psychometric methods that their truth or falsity will be established.

"Although certain studies in the personality field are being conducted by members of the ETS Research Department at the present time, a full-scale attack on this front is being held in abeyance, pending the development of a pending the development of a comprehensive program. It is hop-ed that this will be completed dur-ing the coming year. How soon usable instruments will be avail-able is impossible to foretell, but it is doubtful if any extensive bat-tery of generally usable personality measures will be ready for at least eight to ten years."

Newman Club Has Breakfast

The annual Communion break-fast of the Newman Club of Mary Washington College of the Univer-sity of Virginia was held follow-ing the 9 o'clock mass on May 7, 1950.

Miss Constance Metzger intro-duced the speaker of the morning, Rt. Rev. Msgr. William J. Mc-Donnell, professor of Philosophy at Catholic University, Washing-ton, D. C. His address, entitled "In This the Holy Year," was most in-

spiring.

Rev. J. Widmer, the club's chaplain, presented a statue of the Virgin Mary to Miss Metzger, the retiring president. Miss Cornelia Rudolph, incoming president, awarded the John Henry Newman Honorary Society key to the most outstanding member of the past sesion, Miss Virginia Ruth Hardy, a senior from Arlington, Virginia.

On behalf of the club, Miss Metzger, a senior from Rchimond, Virginia.

ger, a senior from Richmond, Virginia, was presented a Saint And-rew's Daily Missal for untiring ef-forts in promoting the objectives of the Newman Club during her presidency.

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